

FRUIT LOSS WILL
BE \$40,000,000Oranges and Lemons Frozen In
Southern California.

CROP MAY BE TOTAL LOSS

Report From Pomona, the Center of One of the Heaviest Producing Sections, Says Every Acre From San Bernardino to Los Angeles Has Been Destroyed—Unusual Cold Spell Seems to Be Passing.

Los Angeles, Jan. 8.—"From San Bernardino to Los Angeles every acre of oranges and lemons has been frozen."

This was the statement that came from Pomona, the center of one of the heaviest producing sections of the citrus fruit belt. Only a fifth of the crop may be salvaged, it was asserted. If this is true the total loss on 150,000 acres of fruit will amount close to \$40,000,000.

More conservative estimates, however, figure the total damage at \$20,000,000. Between \$5,000,000 and \$8,000,000 of this sum will be the loss to railroads in curtailed freight receipts.

In the face of this situation fruit growers, worn out by forty-eight hours' battle against an almost unprecedented visitation of frost, received warning to get out their smudging pots again. With the warning the weather bureau issued a bulletin stating that the worst of the cold wave had passed, but even this prediction of warmer weather brought with it some apprehension and uncertainty.

According to growers a sudden return to the warmth of normal winter conditions would irreparably damage fruit which might be still in such condition that a gradual rise of temperature would leave it in marketable shape.

Means Ruin of Citrus Crop.

This additional loss would mean practically the complete ruin of the citrus crop, the value of which has been placed at \$50,000,000.

Smudging operations were again in progress in many sections of the citrus belt.

The cost of fighting the frosts has been approximately \$1.25 per acre per night. Already there have been two nights of smudging on nearly every one of the 150,000 acres which comprise the citrus fruit zone of Southern California.

Growers and representatives of fruit buying and shipping concerns reported that an inspection of the entire citrus country showed great devastation. The cold was so intense and so sustained in all sections that the orange and lemon foliage appeared shriveled and dry. Orchardists maintain that the matured trees were not damaged, though they admit that frost killed much nursery stock.

While Pomona reported a damage of 80 per cent of the crop San Bernardino county appeared to be the heaviest sufferer. San Bernardino includes the large Redlands orange section, adjoining Riverside, and it was declared that 90 per cent of the crop was irretrievably ruined. In this county alone, it was asserted, growers would lose from \$9,000,000 to \$11,000,000.

PREDICTS END OF COLD SPELL

California Temperature Low as 16 Degrees Above.

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—A few more hours will see the end of the devastating cold spell that has held California in its grasp for the last three days, according to Alexander G. McAdie, director of the government weather bureau here.

The lowest temperature reported at Los Angeles was 28 degrees above zero, which was the lowest mark reached in San Diego. At other points in the South, however, the mercury dipped as low as 16 degrees. In San Francisco the maximum was 36.

WAS 54 BELOW IN COLORADO

But Crisis Has Passed and Temperature Is Rising.

Denver, Jan. 8.—With slowly rising temperatures reported from all over Colorado it is believed the cold wave which has prevailed over the Rocky mountain region has passed its crisis.

Reports from the western slope in Colorado tell of all records for cold being broken. The lowest temperatures recorded in the Rocky mountain region is at Steamboat Springs, where an unofficial record of 54 degrees was made.

LEMON CROP ABSOLUTE LOSS

Growers Not Prepared for Cold in San Diego Districts.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 8.—Reports from nearly every lemon district in San Diego county say that the intense cold of the last two days means an absolute loss of the lemon crop. The temperature reached a minimum of 24.9 degrees and caught the growers unprepared with smudges.

ARCHBALD CASE
NEARING AN END

Evidence Complete and Arguments to Take Three Days.

JURIST HAS TRYING ORDEAL

Cross-Examination of the Accused Commerce Court Judge in Impeachment Proceedings Is Joined in by Many Senators—At Least Five House Managers Will Argue for Archbald's Conviction.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The propriety of a federal judge's writing to an attorney on one side of a case that had been argued before him for information or argument to clear up doubtful points became the point around which members of the senate fired questions at Judge Robert W. Archbald of the United States commerce court, under trial by impeachment for alleged violation of his federal oath.

Cross-examination of the accused jurist, began by Representative Sterling, one of the house members conducting the prosecution, was virtually taken out of his hands when that charge was reached involving Judge Archbald's correspondence with Attorney Helm Bruce of the Louisville and Nashville railroad.

Members of the senate demanded of Judge Archbald time and again whether he did not think it improper and unfair to the other parties in a suit to request of one attorney an explanation or correction of evidence without giving him privileges to the other side.

He said he did not consider it good practice, but insisted he thought there was nothing improper in his conduct.

Will Divide Time Equally.

Archbald held the witness stand for nearly two hours. The end of all testimony in the case came before the close of the proceedings. There remain now only the closing arguments and the vote of the senate as to whether Judge Archbald is guilty. The senate determined to give three days to the arguments, the time to be divided equally. It is expected at least five of the house managers will participate.

The Louisville and Nashville charge centered about Judge Archbald's request of Attorney Bruce for information as to a certain point in the Montgomery rate cases, which had been argued before the commerce court. Judge Archbald said he had differed with the balance of the court and, in writing a dissenting opinion, he asked Mr. Bruce to clear up a controverted question about whether or not certain rate changes violated the old "Cooley arbitration" treaty, that had long operated over the Southwestern rates.

He declared the correspondence became of no consequence because later the other members of the court, except Judge Mack, took a view similar to his own and Presiding Judge Knapp finally wrote an opinion favorable to the railroad.

WILL SECURE SPECIALIST

Committee to Have William Rockefeller Examined.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The house money trust investigation committee made plans for dealing with two reluctant witnesses, William Rockefeller and George G. Henry of the firm of Solomon & Co., bankers, New York city.

Chairman Pajo announced that the committee decided to procure the services of a competent specialist in throat diseases to examine Mr. Rockefeller and verify the certificate of ill health filed with the committee from Dr. Walter F. Chappelle, Mr. Rockefeller's personal physician, and Dr. Samuel W. Lamont. Dr. Chappelle said that to force Mr. Rockefeller to testify would "endanger his life."

TO STAND BY VETOED BILL

Only Change Democrats Are Likely to Make May Be on Spices.

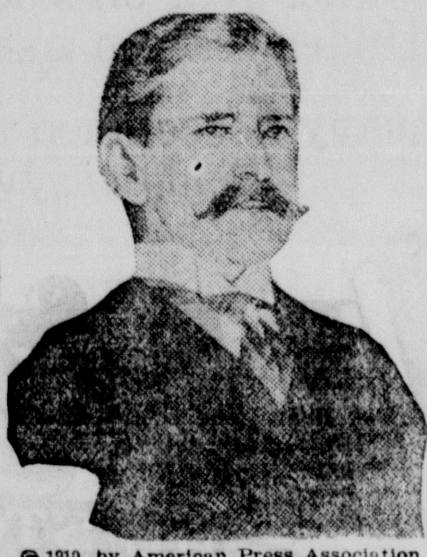
Washington, Jan. 8.—Discussion of the chemical schedule of the revised tariff legislation to be enacted by the coming extra session of congress was closed so far as public hearings are concerned. The indications are that the Democratic majority of the house committee on ways and means will sustain almost in identical terms its chemical schedule as embodied in the bill that passed both houses and was vetoed in the last congress.

It is possible that there may be some modification of the rates on spices, which several members of the committee favor, but this is uncertain.

Zero Temperatures in Arizona.

Tucson, Ariz., Jan. 8.—Records of many years were broken here when the thermometer registered 5 degrees above zero. Zero temperatures were recorded at Bowie, Wilcox and other Eastern Arizona points. There was a heavy snowfall at all of these places.

SENATOR SWANSON.

Favors Government Aid
in Building Good Roads.

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ASKS \$25,000,000 FOR ROADS

Senator Swanson Proposes Appropriation to Build Highways.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Federal appropriation of \$25,000,000 to aid the states for good roads is proposed in a bill by Senator Swanson.

Mr. Swanson's bill contemplates the apportionment of the proposed appropriation among the states according to population and mileage of post roads. It is provided that in every instance the states shall pay one-half the cost of construction, but after the completion of any given road the national authorities are to withdraw from all supervision.

SAYS SHIP COMBINE
IS GIVING REBATES

Coffee Importer Describes System of Deferred Payments.

Washington, Jan. 8.—A system of deferred rebates granted by the so called "ship combination" to shippers who deal exclusively with its members was described to the house merchant marine committee by a representative of a firm who had received rebates for four years.

The testimony was given by Joseph Purcell of Hard & Rand of New York, one of the largest importers of Brazilian coffee to the United States. He said that for shipping its coffee exclusively by the Lamport and Holt line, the Prince line and the Hamburg-South America line, his concern is given a maximum rebate of 10 per cent.

J. J. Slechte, New York agent for the Lloyd Brasileiro line, owned and operated by the Brazilian government between New York and Brazil, testified that his company during the last six years, in attempting to compete with the "conference" lines, had lost \$6,000,000. He further swore that his company had been able to get the trade of only one big coffee importer, the Arbuckle, and that in his opinion the only explanation for this was the existence of a deferred rebating system. He acknowledged he had no positive knowledge of the existence of such a system.

TO ELIMINATE MIDDLEMAN

Express Company Plans to Compete With Parcel Post.

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—Direct competition, national in scope, between the Wells Fargo Express company and the federal parcel post will go into effect as soon as plans which the company has been maturing for the past four years can be set afoot. Such was the statement made here by C. R. Graham, traffic manager of the company, at a hearing before the state railroad commission.

Competition, he explained, would extend to both rates and service, with special regard to eggs, butter, poultry, and other perishable foodstuffs, to be delivered direct from shipper to consignee, thus eliminating the middleman's profits.

FATAL WRECK ON BIG FOUR

One Killed and Three Probably Mortally Hurt.

Lafayette, Ind., Jan. 8.—One person was killed, three probably fatally injured, and thirty-three slightly hurt when six cars on train No. 15 of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railroad—the Big Four—northbound, from Cincinnati to Chicago, jumped the track at Stockwell, near here.

The train was running at a high speed when a wheel on the baggage car broke, throwing that car, the smoker, day coach, the diner and two Pullmans into a ditch.

THREE DIE IN SNOWSLIDE

Six Canadian Miners Caught in Avalanche.

Sandon, B. C., Jan. 8.—Six men were caught in a snowslide 2,000 feet above the Noble Five mine and three lost their lives. The other three had miraculous escapes.

A rescue party was started out immediately, but no trace could be found of the bodies.

ANGLO-AMERICAN
PEACE PLAN MADEHundredth Anniversary of Treaty
to Be Event.

WILL OCCUR CHRISTMAS, '14

Statesmen of Both Nations Anxious For Celebration to Relieve Strained Relations Over Canal Tolls, Etc. War Experts See Threatening Outlook and Are Preparing.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Jan. 8.—[Special.]—About Christmas time, 1914, will be the one hundredth anniversary of the conclusion of the last peace treaty between the United States and Great Britain, and peace advocates and statesmen of both countries are getting ready to have the event properly celebrated, more particularly to celebrate each country upon the fact that there has been 100 years of peace between the two great English speaking nations of the world. Some of the peace men are even trying to hurry the events, for it is well known that in the two years there may be mighty serious complications between the countries.

From everything that can be learned it is probable that the differences over canal tolls and the smashed Hay-Pauncefote treaty may become very acute. Military men are looking up data upon the northern frontier and have been suggesting that a national reserve ought to be organized in order to meet any emergency which may arise. And so it happens that while the peace makers are talking peace the war participants are preparing for war.

A Republican Problem.

When the Sixty-third congress convenes the Republicans will have a committee problem as well as the Democrats. There are seventeen minority committees in the senate—that is, committees with the same patronage and places as the big committees, but which have minority members as chairmen. The object is to secure patronage for old senators. Now these minority chairmanships go according to seniority. The oldest minority senators have the first choice. Besides these seventeen places, there is what is called chairman of the minority, a place which will go to Senator Gallinger, leaving seventeen places for the next seventeen Republicans.

Those Republicans, including insurgents, are Lodge, Perkins, Clark (Wyoming), Warren, Nelson, Penrose, McCumber, Dillingham, Clapp, Smoot, La Follette, Sutherland, Brandegee, Du Pont, Smith (Michigan), Borah and Stephenson. Ordinarily it would be easy enough to distribute the chairmanships from private land claims to disposition of useless documents among these men, but Clapp, La Follette and Borah are not on the reservation. Clapp and La Follette may not go into the Republican caucus, but still they are senators, and never have senators been turned down. Just what to do with Clapp and La Follette is a problem.

Cleveland and Spoils.

"Woodrow Wilson will not dare make such a carnival of the offices as did Cleveland in 1892," remarked a Republican senator. But Cleveland was forced to use all the patronage he could reach in order to put through the silver repeal bill. Cleveland was considerable of a civil service reformer. Many Democrats fear that Wilson will also be inclined in that direction.

Didn't Know Arizona.

As that was the proud boast of Senator Ashurst that he knew every man in Arizona. He thought he did until the recent election. Since then he has been getting letters from about twice as many people as he supposed lived in the new state. In this connection it is related that Senator Mark Smith of the same state met Ashurst the night of election. "Better skip out, Henry," he said. "I'm going to leave tonight."

"Why?" asked the young senator.

"If you're here twenty-four hours after Wilson is elected you'll be swamped by office seekers. I'm going where they can't reach me."

"Jim Mann's Circus."

After looking over the gallery of the house for a few minutes and observing that the minority leader was still on the job a newspaper correspondent remarked, "I see Jim Mann's circus is here again."

Every organization and many would be social leaders are trying to grab the Wilsons and make use of them to boost themselves into prominence. "Women's auxiliaries" of political organizations, women's clubs, social organizations and individuals have written to Mrs. Wilson asking to be received or to have a time set apart when they may pay their respects. Those who can get in on this deal will have some prominence, and perhaps they will get a "pull" for the future which will make them prominent during the administration.

Naturally the Wilsons do not know much about the game that is being played, but they are sensible enough to know that they must go very slowly.

The Anemone.

Anemone means "wind flower." The anemone is so delicately poised that it trembles in the slightest breeze.

HOKE SMITH.

Georgia Senator to
Confer With Wilson.

TO MAKE VIGOROUS FIGHTS

Democrats Hope to Gain Several More Senators.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Efforts to strengthen the narrow Democratic majority in the next senate, now estimated at one or two, are holding the close attention of Democratic leaders in Washington and forming the basis for much of the conference now going on between members of the senate and President-elect Wilson.

Senators Hoke Smith of Georgia and Gore of Oklahoma, who have been invited to Trenton for a conference with the president elect, will go primed with details of the fight that is being waged to capture additional Democratic senatorships in Maine, New Hampshire, Illinois and South Dakota, where the balance of power is held by the Progressives.

POWERS PREPARING
FOR INTERVENTION

European Nations Will See That
Balkan War Ends.

London, Jan. 8.—Sir Edward Grey, the British secretary for foreign affairs, made this statement in the house of commons regarding the possibility of intervention by the powers should the peace plenipotentiaries fail to reach an agreement:

"This subject is in course of receiving the attention of the powers, but I cannot make any public statement as to their views or decisions, except such as may be made by common consent."

The Balkan delegates were unofficially informed that the ambassadors at Constantinople were continuing to exert pressure on the porte to find the best way to come to terms with the Balkan states. Some difficulties are being met with at the ambassadorial conference in London and the question of the frontier of Albania has been abandoned for the moment as it has been found impossible to reconcile the desires of Austria for an extended Albania with the suggestions of Russia for narrowing the boundaries of the new state.

YACHT BLAST KILLS THREE

New York Couple Escape in Open Power Boat After Accident.

Titusville, Fla., Jan. 8.—Upon the arrival here of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Chesborough of New York it became known that their yacht Huntress was sunk and three of the crew killed by an explosion off Cape Canaveral. The Chesbroughs and four members of the Huntress' crew took refuge in a small power boat, in which they made their way to Cape Canaveral.

The accident occurred while the Huntress was en route to Miami from New York. The cook, the steward and a seaman were killed.

HULL NAMED FOR SPEAKER

Black River Falls Man Chosen by Wisconsin Republican Caucus.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 8.—Merlin Hull of Black River Falls was endorsed for speaker of the Wisconsin assembly by the Republican caucus on the second ballot. The La Follette adherents, who had supported L. L. Johnson and S. C. Goff, switched to Hull on the second ballot. Ray J. Nye of Superior, who was strongly supported, received sixteen votes on both the first and second formal ballots.

There were fifty-four Republicans in the caucus.

In the senate Senator Henry C. Martin of Darlington, a member of that body for fourteen years, was endorsed unanimously for president pro tem.

Frozen to Death in Frisco.

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—James Clark, twenty-eight years old, was found dead from cold and exposure. No similar death is recorded in the history of San Francisco.

GALE DESTROYS
OIL STEAMSHIP

WORKMEN'S ACT IN MONTANA

Compensation Measure Introduced Based on Washington Law.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 8.—A workmen's compensation act, patterned after the Washington law, was introduced in the house by unanimous consent.

The first message of Governor Samuel V. Stewart to the legislature was read. The governor said that, among reforms promised and to bring about which he is ready to do his part, is a law extending the power of the state board of equalization, a public service commission, a workmen's compensation act, new road laws, and providing for the supervision of all investment companies, one regulating the appropriation and use of water for power purposes and a law providing for summary removal of officers who fail or refuse to perform their duty.

The governor also recommended the passage of a law submitting to the voters a woman suffrage amendment.

EXTEND CLOTHING STRIKE

Ladies' Garment Workers Taking Walkout Vote.

New York, Jan. 8.—Both sides in the garment workers' strike drew their lines closer in preparation for a protracted struggle. Employers belonging to the Clothing Trade Manufacturers' association voted not to recognize the closed shop nor to deal with the workers' union. Some 75,000 members of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' union began voting on whether they should join the United Garment Workers' in the walkout.

Leaders of the international predicted that the strike would be called, but said it would take probably until Saturday to poll the whole vote.

CART WATER IN SALT LAKE

Supply Frozen Solid and Wagons Disperse by Gallon.

Salt Lake City, Jan. 8.—Water was sold by the gallon in the streets of Salt Lake City from sprinkling carts, because of the extreme cold weather, which cut off the city's supply.

Several laundries and other concerns have been compelled to suspend operations because of the lack of water.

The cold wave, it is believed, is broken and relief from the water famine is hoped for.

FATALLY WOUNDS A BANDIT

Chicago Policeman Captures Two Holdup Men.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—A check here when men received a chivalry when Thomas Scully, aged seventeen years, was shot through the lung and fatally wounded by a policeman while attempting with a companion to rob a man.

Officer Reilly witnessed the attempted robbery from the porch of his home and opened fire on the thieves when they refused to surrender. The other bandit gave up when he saw his companion shot down. Both were armed.

Wine Wager, but Loses Life.

Danville, Ky., Jan. 8.—Jack Coleman of Harrodsburg, Ky., bet Henry Marshall that he could put a rifle bullet through Marshall's hat without touching his scalp. Marshall accepted the wager, and won it. The bullet went through the hat and Marshall's skull, killing him instantly. Coleman was arrested.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Jan. 8.—Wheat—To arrive and on track—No. 1 hard, 84¢; No. 1 Northern, 83¢; No. 2 Northern, 81¢; May, 86¢; July, 88¢. Flax—On track and to arrive, 1.23¢; Jan., 1.23¢; May, 1.27¢.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Jan. 8.—Cattle—Steers, \$5.75@8.50; cows and heifers, \$4.00@7.00; calves, \$4.00@8.75; feeders, \$3.75@6.90. Hogs—\$7.15@7.30. Sheep—Lambs, \$3.75@8.00; wethers, \$3.50@4.90; ewes, \$2.00@4.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Wheat—May, 91¢@91½¢; July, 89½¢. Corn—May, 49¢@49½¢; July, 50¢@50½¢. Oats—May, 33½¢; July, 33¢. Pork—Jan., \$17.60; May, \$18.07. Butter—Creameries, 27@35¢. Eggs—19@25¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 15@20¢; chickens, 14¢; springs, 14¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Cattle—Beeves, \$5.75@9.40; Texas steers, \$4.70@5.85; Western steers, \$5.70@7.40; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@7.60; cows and heifers, \$2.85@7.60; calves, \$6.75@10.50. Hogs—Light, \$7.20@7.50; mixed, \$7.25@7.55; heavy, \$7.25@7.55; rough, \$7.25@7.55; pigs, \$5.75@7.40. Sheep—Native, \$4.50@5.75; yearlings, \$6.15@8.00; lambs, \$6.50@8.90.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Jan. 8.—Wheat—May, 86½¢; July, 88½¢. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, 80½¢; No. 1 Northern, 83½¢@85¢; to arrive, 83½¢@84½¢; No. 2 Northern, 81½¢@83¢; No. 3 Northern, 79½¢@81¢; No. 3 yellow corn, 41½¢@42¢; No. 4 corn, 38¢@40½¢; No. 3 white oats, 30¢@30½¢; to arrive, 30¢; No. 3 oats, 27½¢@29½¢; barley, 45¢@63¢; flax, \$1.25¢; to arrive, 1.25¢.

Thirty-one Members of the Crew
of Thirty-five Perish.

THREE TAKEN FROM RIGGING

One Other Survivor Reaches Shore Six Miles From the Scene of the Disaster—Vessel Runs Aground on Pacific Coast and High Seas and Terrific Winds Soon Cause Her to Break Up.

Astoria, Ore., Jan. 8.—When the oil tank steamship Rosecrans, bound from Monterey, Cal., to Portland, Ore., ran aground on Peacock spit while crossing into the Columbia river during a fifty-five-mile gale thirty-one members of her crew of thirty-five were lost.

One survivor of the wreck was reported to have reached shore at Tl-o-ga, Wash., six miles from the scene of the disaster, and the Point Adams lifesaving crew rescued three other men. The men had taken refuge in the rigging of one of the masts when the ship went down. For many hours they clung there, the waves breaking over them repeatedly. Two of the men were taken from their perch, while the third, who had leaped into the sea when the lifeboat neared the spot, was taken from the water.

The Rosecrans was hurled upon the rocks of Peacock Point at the same place where the steamship General Washington went aground a year ago. Owing to the thick weather the plight of the Rosecrans was not learned for several hours. When her perilous position became known the tug the Port Canby and Point Adams lifesaving crew hurried to her aid.

When the tugs reached the neighborhood of the tanker she was found to be hard aground and the high seas and driving winds made a near approach impossible. The wrecked vessel soon shifted and began to break up and before the tugs and lifesavers could get near enough to put a line aboard she slipped off the rocks and sank until only her masts and the funnel appeared above the water, with three men of the crew clinging to the rigging.

FOG HAMPER STEAMSHIPS

Two Vessels Run Aground in New York Harbor.

New York, Jan. 8.—Shrouded in one of the densest fogs in memory of seafaring men New York harbor was in a state of almost complete blockade and two vessels which tried to nose their way out met with mishap.

The Adriatic of the White Star line, with J. Pierpont Morgan and former United States Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island among its 1,600 passengers, grounded off Governors Island.

The Hamilton of the Old Dominion line ran ashore at Fort Wadsworth and stove in her bow above the water line by its impact with a stone pier.

MYSTERY IN DOUBLE TRAGEDY

Man and Wife Found Dead and In-Fant Near Death.

Paris, Ill., Jan. 8.—Police are unable to decide whether the death of William Moss, Jr., and his wife was due to murder and suicide or a double murder.

The body of the woman was found in the front yard of the Moss home, six miles northeast of here. She had been shot four times with a revolver. Moss' body was discovered on a pile of grain sacks in a buggy shed. His left jaw had been torn away by a gun shot. A shotgun lay by his side. A six-month-old child of the couple was found in the house. It was near death from cold and hunger and may die.

HEAD OFF ANTI-JAP BILLS

Californians Bring Pressure to Bear on Legislators.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 8.—Efforts to prevent introduction of bills against alien labor or other unfavorable measures affecting aliens were made at a conference between several members of the legislature, Governor Johnson and President Moore of the Panama exposition.

As it seemed to have occurred to many members in both houses that this would be a good session to put in such bills they have been prepared in various shapes and not all of the authors have been headed off. There is a possibility that some of them will decline to be stopped.

FOUR PERISH IN A WRECK

Three Passengers and Member of Crew of Steamer Cheslake.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 8.—The steamer Cheslake, owned by the Union Steamship company of Vancouver was wrecked off Van Endra, north of Vancouver. Wireless messages say three passengers and a member of the crew perished. The other passengers and seamen were rescued.

The Cheslake plied between this port and Texada Island, seventy-five miles northward.

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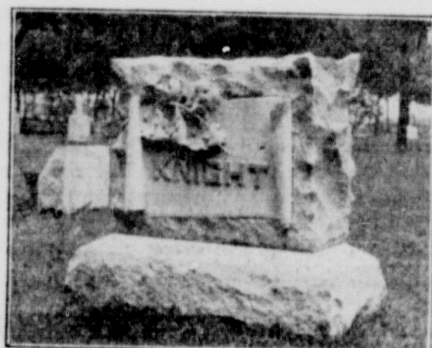
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The senate combine fell flat, but
whether of its own weight is not re-
corded. It never was popular with
the people.

According to a statement from the
treasury department each one of us
had \$34.72 each on January 2. That
is a libel on those who did their
Christmas shopping early.

The politician of the Minneapolis
Journal fails to find the "Bull Moose"
following in the state legislature,
and the third term proposition does
not seem to be popular, on the sur-
face at any rate.

The orange crop of California is in
danger and hundreds of smudge fires
are being kept burning to protect
the fruit from the cold weather that
has prevailed in that section. They
won't even be able to hand us a lemon
unless frosts are prevented.

Congressman Miller has had the
matter of a proposal to build a stor-
age reservoir in Mille Lacs and Ona-
mia lakes, which form the outlet of
Rum river, again taken under ad-
visement by the river and harbor
board after an adverse report by the
secretary of war.

Notice has been given from the
United States engineer's office at St.
Paul, Minn., that they have rendered
an unfavorable report in the pending
proposition for the improvement of
the reservoirs at the headwaters of
the Mississippi river, with a view to
the construction of locks in the dams
heretofore built at Pokegama, Win-
nibigoshish and Leech Lake.

The city recorder of Park City,
Utah, is a woman, a widow and the
mother of two children, but that did
not prevent her from padding the
pay rolls of the street department—
just like a man would do it. She is
more fortunate than a man would be
in a similar condition for the city
officials have agreed not to prosecute
her for the offense, and she pays
back the money.

Some interesting dairy figures have
recently been gathered by H. J.
Maxfield, commissioner of immigra-
tion, and given to the public which
show a remarkable growth of Min-
nesota's creameries and that indus-
try, during the past twelve years.
The surprising fact is learned that
the creameries in the state have
more than doubled in that time. In
1899 Minnesota had 582 creameries
and in 1911 she had 814. In 1889

we manufactured 44,007,933 pounds
of butter against 98, 984,789 pounds
in 1911. But the most interesting
and important fact is that in 1899,
\$6,959,914.55 was paid out to our
farmers for butter fat, against \$22-
381,375.26 in 1911, or a gain of \$15-
421,460.71, more than three times
as much in 1911 as was paid out in
1899. This of course is not due en-
tirely to increased production, but
largely to advance in prices.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Blankets at cost at Reis' dry goods
store.—Adv. 17947
R. M. Adams, of Deerwood, was in
Brainerd Tuesday.

E. B. Congdon, of Crosby, was in
the city yesterday.

Col. Freeman Thorp, of Hubert,
was a Brainerd visitor today.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for
quality. Order a case. Telephone
164. John Coates Liquor Co.—Adv.

Mrs. Sadie Colvot of Klondike, was
a visitor of Mrs. M. A. Billings.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Egan, of Deer-
wood, were Brainerd visitor yester-
day.

George D. LaBar was attending to
business matters at Bemidji yester-
day.

Old Pilsner style Brainerd beer.
Famous for quality and purity. De-
livered to any part of the city. Phone
213.—Adv. 25947

B. Magoffin, Jr., of Deerwood, was
in the city today attending to busi-
ness matters.

F. S. Benjamin, of Crosby, was in
the city yesterday attending to busi-
ness matters.

F. S. Parker is suffering with a
severe attack of a cold and his voice
is shrouded in gloom.

Things move along so rapidly now-
adays that people who say it cannot
be done are interrupted by some who
are doing it. See the NEW VACU-
UM CLOTHES WASHER sold by
Miss Caroline L. Morrison.—Adv. 18412

Mrs. V. Moore, of Deerwood, was
at Brainerd yesterday having her
eyes treated by Dr. A. F. Groves.

W. B. Jones, county commissioner
of Cass county, was in the city today
on his way from Walker to Sylvan.

Don't forget the basketball game
at High school auditorium, Brainerd
H. S. vs Staples H. S., Friday eve-
ning, 8:15 sharp. Fast game as-
sured.—Adv. 18214

C. J. Evensta went to Sylvan this
afternoon where he has a large farm.
Mr. Evensta, however, does not do
much farming when the thermometer
registers 20 below.

There was brought to Brainerd to-
day the body of six months old James
Winterstein, of Bemidji, accompa-
nied by Charles Winterstein. Burial
will be in Evergreen cemetery.

You can wash your tub of clothes
in 3 minutes with the NEW VACUUM
CLOTHES WASHER. Demonstration
at 208 South Sixth street this
Friday afternoon.—Adv. 18412

William Seafeld, the enterprising
superintendent of the Helmer Explor-
ation company, is in Brainerd look-
ing after business and also attend-
ing to exploration work he has in
progress in the vicinity of Brainerd.

A demonstration of the NEW
VACUUM CLOTHES WASHER will
be given by Miss Caroline L. Morri-
son at 208 South Sixth street, the
Grandmeyer millinery store, at 3
o'clock Friday afternoon.

The ladies of the city are invited
to see the great new washer.—Adv. 18412

M. E. Scott, national organizer of
the Loyal Order of Moose, will ar-
rive Saturday noon preparatory to
installing a lodge here Sunday night.
All Loyal Moose are expected to re-
port at room 101, National hotel by
1:15 P. M. Sunday.

Wanted—Two small furnished
rooms for light housekeeping, by
lady with daughter attending high
school. Address, S. W. J., Motley,
Minn. 17943

Erick Anderson and wife residing
in Oak Lawn township expect to
leave the latter part of this month
for Idaho. Mr. Anderson has been
in failing health for some time and
expects to regain his health and
strength by taking change of cli-
mate.

WHITE SALE

12,000 YDS. EMBROIDERY
2000 yds. at 10c per yd.
10,000 yds. at 10c per half yd.
Many other White Goods

NOW ON SALE

Woolworth's

5 and 10c Store

The funeral of the late Herman
Krueger will be held Thursday af-
ternoon at two o'clock from the res-
idence, 209 Northeast First avenue,
and at 2:30 P. M. from Zion's Evan-
gelical church on Northeast Fourth
avenue, Rev. A. Zabel officiating.
Relatives from Alexandria and the
west are expected today to attend the
services.

WSPATCH ADS PAY—TRY ONE

Buy Your Munsing Underwear Now**At Our Big Clearance Sale**

All 50c Underwear on sale now at..... 40c
All \$1.00 Underwear on sale now at..... 80c
All \$1.50 Underwear on sale now at..... \$1.20
All \$2.00 Underwear on sale now at..... \$1.60
All \$3.00 Underwear on sale now at..... \$2.40
All \$3.50 Underwear on sale now at..... \$2.80

See that heavy fleece lined union suit at 50c, in all sizes.
Sold everywhere at \$1.00.

Murphy's
THE STORE OF QUALITY

STATE AND LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Gleaned From Our Bright Exchanges
and Boiled Down for the Bene-
fit of Dispatch Readers

Minneapolis picture shows are to
be censored under the new adminis-
tration.

St. Cloud grocers were imposed up-
on by persons passing worthless
checks.

Street cars will be running from
Gilbert to Hibbing by the 18th inst.,
on the new electric line.

Lumber to be used for finishing
purposes has been received by par-
cel post at the Hibbing postoffice.

Herbert Doran has been elected
chief of the Bemidji fire department.
The fire loss in that city for 1912
was 127,930.

An International Falls trapper says
he is getting as high as 40 and 50
cents a skin for the hides of musk-
rats as against 25 and 35 cents a
year ago.

The St. Cloud Times thinks the
best way to exterminate wolves in
this state according to the past 40
years' record would be to repeal the
wolf bounty.

Royalton is now using Little Falls
power for electric lighting, the for-
mer town building the line and tak-
ing the electricity at the power house
in the latter city.

A moving picture show at New
Ulm advertised to give away a live
baby and called down the wrath of
the community, which subsided when
the "baby pig" was handed to the
clerk of the leading hotel.

A monthly publication is to be is-
sued by the Catholic church at Be-
midji. It will be 32 pages and be-
sides Bemidji church news it will
contain literature written by Father
G. S. Knoll, a Huntington, Ind., edi-
tor of considerable note.

A poultry census will be taken in
Minnesota the latter part of Janu-
ary by the farm extension division
at the agricultural college. The
work will be done by the country
boys and girls of the state who will
report in each county to the county
superintendent of schools. The re-
port will show the number of chick-
ens, geese, ducks and other fowls,
how many eggs were produced dur-
ing the year, the number of incuba-
tors used, etc.

Murderous Turks Hanged,
In retribution for the thousands of
murders committed by Turkish troops



Photos by American Press Association.

EXECUTION OF TURKS.
The Bulgarian troops have executed
many Moslems. The picture shows
how the punishment was meted out.

During the long, dreary winter
months mothers become tired, worn
out, can't eat, sleep or work. Hol-
ister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the
greatest blessing for mothers.
Makes them happy, healthy and
strong. H. P. Dunn.—Adv.

DEVICE RESUSCITATES SEVEN.

Firemen Pronounced Dead From Suffo-
cation Saved.

Seven firemen taken from the ruins
of the Westinghouse warehouse in
Pittsburgh, which was destroyed by
fire, were pronounced dead from suf-
focation, but were restored to life by
the prompt use of resuscitators, the



Photo by bureau of mines.

RESUSCITATOR IN ACTION.

new machines that draw poisonous
gases from the lungs and instill pure
oxygen.

A young ambulance surgeon was called
from the Homeopathic hospital, two
blocks away, to attend twelve uncon-
scious firemen overcome by the poison-
ous fumes of sulphur and pitch. In
seven of the men he could not find the
slightest sign of life. But he remem-
bered the pulmotors at the hospital.

A mean stuffy cold, with hoarse
wheezy breathing is just the kind
that runs into bronchitis or pneu-
monia. Don't trifle with such ser-
ious conditions but take Foley's
Honey and Tar Compound promptly.
Quick and beneficial results are just
what you can expect from this great
medicine. It soothes and heals the
inflamed air passages. It stops the
hoarse racking cough.—H. P. Dunn,
druggist.—Adv. mwf

NOVELIST MAY SUCCEED REID

Thomas Nelson Page Mentioned For
High Position.

Following President Taft's decision
not to name a successor to the late
Whitelaw Reid as ambassador to the
court of St. James, Thomas Nelson
Page came into the spot light as a prob-
able choice. It was widely mentioned



THOMAS NELSON PAGE.

But Mr. Page would receive appoint-
ment to the big diplomatic post at the
hands of President Wilson.

Mr. Page is one of America's fore-
most men of letters. His work, to a
large extent, has been with the south
is his theme. "I have tried," he said
recently, "to heal the breach between
the north and the south with my sto-
ries." Mr. Page was born in Virginia
in 1853. He was educated at Wash-
ington and Lee and at Yale.

NEST AND HEALTH TO MOTHER AND CHILD.
Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP has been
used for over SIXTY YEARS by MILLIONS of
MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE
SLEEPING, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT
SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS,
ALLAYS ALL PAIN; CURES WIND COLIC, and
is the best remedy for DIARRHŒA. It is ab-
solutely harmless. Be sure and ask for "Mrs.
Winslow's soothing Syrup," and take no other
kind. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

EMPRESS

THE THEATRE BEAUTIFUL
One Hundred Per Cent of Satisfaction

A Dandy Biograph comedy

"The Curio Hunters"

A trip to the South Sea Islands, Marshall P. Wilder, the versatile
comedian.

A mining story of intense interest

"The Fraud at the Hope Mine"

Featuring a terrific mine explosion

An Indian Love Story

"Opitsah"

Apache for Sweetheart

MISS L. COOKE
Picture Pianist

Music That Fits the Pictures, Is One of the Features of our
Program

BYRON WHITFORD
Violinist

Adults 10c

Admission

Children 5c

**IT WARMS OLD SANTA**

Just to see a good supply of good
coal in the houses he visits.
He is particularly partial to the
kind of coal we sell and he has
good reason to be. So will you
after you have tried it. The
splendid heat, the perfect com-
bustion, the solid comfort, will
pay you well for your good judg-
ment in ordering us to fill your
coal bin.

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Pictures and Picture Framing**IS OUR BUSINESS**

We have a most complete line
of pictures and frames. We
do framing that satisfies.
Come see us.

LOSEY and DEAN

Hardware

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Where you always get
WHITE Service

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Brainerd

Estimates
Furnished

Satisfaction
Guaranteed

BIG MINING
CASE IS DECIDED

Judge W. S. McClenahan's Decision
in Mississippi Land Co. vs Wisconsin Steel Co.

WEIGHING ORE IS INVOLVED

Defendant Restrained Removing Ore
Except in Manner That Transportation Co. May Weigh It

Judge W. S. McClenahan of the district court has rendered a decision in the important mining case entitled the Mississippi Land company vs the Wisconsin Steel company heard by the jurist in Duluth.

As conclusions of law the judge finds that neither of the said leases contemplates, provides for or permits the weighing of ores in any manner except by the transportation company transporting the same from the lands and neither of them contemplates, provides for or permits the weighing in the manner in which the defendant has weighed such thereof as it has removed since May 1912 from the mine to the washing plant.

The Mississippi land company is entitled to judgment forever restraining and enjoining the Wisconsin Steel company from removing from the lands in question any iron ore except in such manner that the same may be weighed by the transportation company transporting the same; from substituting for the weighing provided in said leases a weighing on a scale or scales furnished by the defendant; and from substituting any other manner of weighing the iron ore mined and removed for the manner of weighing provided in said leases. Plaintiff to have and recover its costs hereby allowed at \$10 and its disbursements herein to be taxed. Judgment was entered and a writ of injunction issued accordingly. A stay of 60 days was granted.

In his memorandum Judge McClenahan states that the real question in this case is not the right of the Wisconsin Steel company to wash the ores mined under its leases with the plaintiff; it undoubtedly has the right so to do, or otherwise to treat and dispose of these ores, provided that, by so doing, there is no substantial departure from the terms of its contracts. The process of washing is not covered by any express provision of the leases in question, but neither is the treatment of the ore products at the furnaces.

A system of weighing the ore, so as to furnish an accurate basis for the payment of royalties and transportation charges, is so expressly covered, however, and a change in this system is the cause of the litigation, and whether such change is in violation of the contracts is here the controlling feature.

"I cannot avoid the conclusion," says Judge McClenahan, "that the new system of weighing under the defendant's practical control, is essentially different from the system which gave such control to the transportation company transporting the ore, whose interests in the results was, in an important respect, identical with that of the plaintiff. This is a valuable right which a court of equity should protect. I have not overlooked the fact, uncontradicted in this record, that the defendant has expended large sums of money in the work of developing this mine and constructing this washing plant, but that cannot justify the court in refusing to restrain a breach of these contracts in the matter of weighing where the showing is otherwise such as to invoke equitable interference. I am satisfied the court should not undertake to devise a substitute for or modification of either of these systems of weighing since the performance of that feature of the contracts would be continuous and would require protracted supervision and direction."

Cohen, Atwater & Shaw of Minneapolis appeared for the plaintiff and Fryberger & Fulton of Duluth, and Davis, Kellogg & Severance for the defendant. The land in question lies in Itasca county and is described as the parts of sections 31 and 32, township 57, range 22.

On July 1, 1901 the Mississippi Land company in two leases leased to Orrin D. Kinney, George H. Crosby and E. B. Hawkins the lands for a term of 30 years with a royalty of 20 cents per gross ton, weights to be determined by the transportation company. On and after June 1, 1907 the defendant, the Wisconsin Steel company, became the owner of the leases.

A body of 22,000,000 tons of iron ore was discovered, of which 14,000,000 tons had an average of 56 percent iron and 7,000,000 an average of about 45 percent and 1,000,000 tons an average of 35 percent. Before 1911 further explorations revealed an additional ore body underlying the first ore body and containing about 15,000,000 tons having an average of 44 percent to 45 percent iron. In the years from 1902 to 1912 the Great Northern railway company transported 2,166,047 tons of ore. In 1911-12 the defendant built a washing plant and installed a scale and removed 526,630 tons of iron ore and by washing produced 315,000 tons containing on an average 60 percent iron. The defendant it appears, wished to continue washing operations and the plaintiff objected to his removing large quantities of ore, which, except for the washing would have been unmerchantable.

PERSONAL AND REAL TAXES

You Can Pay Your Taxes at Any Time Now as They Became Due Jan. 1st and are Payable

Following is the law governing the collection of taxes and the adding of penalties in Minnesota:

"All taxes are due on the first Monday of January of each year. Personal property tax becomes delinquent March 1, when a penalty of 10 per cent is added. Personal property taxes unpaid April 1 are collected by the sheriff.

"On June 1 a penalty of 10 per cent is added to all unpaid real estate tax and said tax will become delinquent on the first Monday of January next, when an additional penalty of 5 per cent is added. If one-half of tax is paid before June 1, no penalty is charged on remaining half if paid before following November 1. Where taxes on any one description amount to \$1 or less they should be paid in full before June 1. Tax sale takes place on the second Monday of May following.

"If not redeemed within three years from date of sale, all lands become the absolute property of the state or purchaser."

A SAD DEATH

Mrs. Mary E. Bellmuth Passed Away Shortly After Birth of Baby Boy Last Night

Mrs. Mary E. Bellmuth, aged 26 wife of Harry G. Bellmuth, passed away last night from a sudden attack of heart failure shortly after giving birth to a baby boy at a local hospital.

Her sudden demise is one of extreme sadness and the sympathy of the community is extended to the sorrowing husband and relatives. The little child, their first born, is healthy and strong. The family lived at 312 South Fourth street. No announcement has been made as to the time of the funeral.

CHANGE IN TRAIN TIME

Noon Passenger Train From Duluth Arrives and Leaves Earlier Since First of Year

Since the first of the year there has been a change in train time of the noon passenger from Duluth.

Train No. 55 leaves Duluth at 7:50 A. M., arrives at Brainerd 11:58 and leaves Brainerd at 12:05 P. M. for Staples.

Train No. 56, returning from Staples, leaves Staples at 1:35 P. M., arrives at Brainerd 2:25 P. M. and departs at 2:35 P. M., arriving in Duluth at 6:40 P. M.

Changes in time are usually published as advertisements in all city papers, but as the Northern Pacific railway has not seen fit to so enlighten the public, the matter is presented gratuitously for the benefit of Dispatch readers.

Hints For Housekeepers

Keep Foley's Honey and Tar Compound always on hand and you can quickly head off a cold by its prompt use. It contains no opiates, heals and soothes inflamed air passages, stops the cough, and may save a big doctor's bill. In the yellow package. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

Lawton-Blood

Ed. Lawton and Miss Lulu Blood were married Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blood, in Dean Lake township, the long ring service being performed by Justice William Ham, of Cuyuna.

The bride was attired in a handsome wedding gown and carried a bouquet of roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Eva Blood. The best man was a brother of the bride, William Blood.

The home was nicely decorated, the ceremony being performed at eight o'clock in the evening and witnessed by a large number of friends and relatives of the country and from Cuyuna and other neighboring towns. A sumptuous wedding supper was served and after this all present enjoyed a social dance.

Their many friends wish them much happiness and prosperity, in which wish the Dispatch heartily joins.

Take the "direct road" to health and strength by using Foley Kidney Pills for backache, rheumatism, weak, sore kidneys and bladder irregularities. Each ingredient is chosen for its positive healing and curative qualities. Foley Kidney Pills are the best medicine you can buy for kidney and bladder troubles. Mrs. J. M. Findley, Lyons, Ga., says: "I took Foley Kidney Pills and they entirely cured me." H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

"MICHAEL'S"

We give 2x Stamps too.

"MICHAEL'S"

FARMERS TWP.
MUTUAL INS. CO.

Holds its Eighth Annual Meeting in Deerwood on Tuesday, January 7 With Big Attendance

IS IN PROSPEROUS CONDITION

Secretary-Treasurer F. J. Winquist Reports that Company Carries \$633,260 Insurance

The eighth annual meeting of the Farmers Township Mutual Insurance company was held in Deerwood on Tuesday, January 7. The meeting was largely attended.

The report of Secretary-Treasurer F. J. Winquist evidences the abundant prosperity of the company and shows that it had a most encouraging growth and that a large amount of business was done in 1912. The company has an established reputation for the prompt payment of all legal claims and losses and thus has a high standing in Crow Wing county.

The following officers and directors were elected for 1913:

President—A. W. Nilson.
Vice-President—F. L. Kinney.
Secretary-Treasurer—F. J. Winquist.

Directors—Fred Gross, F. J. Winquist, A. W. Nilson, O. P. Erickson, Gust Olander, Emil Johnson and F. L. Kinney.

The Dispatch is glad to publish the financial statement of Secretary-Treasurer F. J. Winquist covering the past year:

Cash on hand from Dec. 31 of previous year	\$ 778.55
Cash received as first pay on policies for 1912	780.28
Cash received for delinquent assessment of 1911	16.00
Cash received for premium on previous years ins.	810.35
Cash received in pay of note and interest	101.50
Total received including cash on hand from 1911	\$2,486.68

Paid losses incurred during the year	\$1,184.43
Paid return premiums	17.80
Paid agent commissions	\$242.25, adjusting losses
\$14.00	256.25
Paid directors \$36, president \$10, secretary \$200	246.00
Paid Treasurer \$26.48, rent \$6.00, postage \$48.39	80.87
Paid printing \$9, advertising \$12, supplies \$29.85	50.85
Paid attorneys fee \$1, insurance department fee \$2	3.00
Paid express and railway fare	1.99
Loan to B. L. Fruit Growers' Assn.	100.00
	\$1,944.19

Cash on hand end of year—\$ 542.49

Policies in force Dec. 31 of previous year, 549—\$576,051.75
Policies issued during 1912, 205—259,398.00

Totals, 754 policies—\$835,449.75
Deduct policies expired and canceled, 170—\$202,189.75

Policies and amount in force Dec. 31, 1912, 584—\$633,260.00
Jan. 7th, 1913, up to date there is 590 policies and \$644,705.00 insurance in force.

Cut the High Cost of Living

W. H. Chapman, Winnebago, Neb., tells how he did it. "My two children had a very bad cough and the doctor's medicines did them no good. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, and before it was all used the children were free and cured of their cough. I saved a doctor's bill for one 25c bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound." No opiates. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

Humiliated Hubby.

A newly married couple had had a little disagreement about some cakes which the wife had made. The husband complained that those his mother used to produce were far superior. On the next day the girl set before him a plate of hot cakes. "Now you have achieved something!" he exclaimed enthusiastically. "These are exactly like what mother used to make. How did you do it?" "I will give you the recipe," replied the wife coldly. "I used margarine instead of butter, eggs a year old, I put alum in the flour and added plenty of water to the milk."—London Tit-Bits.

CROSBY GETS
NEW LABORATORY

Special to Dispatch:

Crosby, Minn., January 8—Loerch Brothers of Virginia, have just completed arrangements to erect a laboratory in Crosby. The building will be located on the corner of First street south and Third avenue west and will contain all modern improvements. This building will be the ninth laboratory that Loerch Bros. have already built located in iron range towns in Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota. The contract for the building has been let to Ed. Gustad and work will be rushed to an early completion. M. C. Hosmer of Hibbing, formerly connected with the Oliver Mining Co. and the Grasselli Chemical Co., will be in charge of the laboratory. Mr. Hosmer has already moved here and will occupy one of the Crosby houses.

NEW PENSION SYSTEM ADOPTED

Government Makes it Easier for Pensioners to Obtain Their Pension Money—Less Work

A change has been made by the department in paying pensions which will do away with considerable work for the government and those who receive the pensions. Previous to this time pensions have been paid through agencies established in different parts of the country, those living in this section being tributary to the Milwaukee office. Vouchers were sent out to the old soldiers and these had to be returned to the agency before receiving the money.

Under the system which has now been inaugurated the pensioners will receive a check direct from the government thus eliminating considerable red tape. The endorsement on the check will serve as a receipt to the government, and it has to be witnessed by two persons, but the witnesses need not accompany the pensioner to the bank or other place of payment unless for the purpose of identification. Old soldiers in this city are just receiving their first checks under the new order of things and find it much more convenient.

A. O. U. W. Lodge Notice

Regular meeting will be held in Elks hall, Thursday evening, Jan. 9th, 1913, commencing at 7:30 o'clock. After regular meeting there will be installation of officers and social evening to which all members of A. O. U. W. and Degree of Honor and families are invited.

A. J. ELLISON, M. W.

Advt.—1842

Fulhaas-Osborne

Sigrud Fulhaas of Bradish, Boone county, Nebraska, and Miss Ethelene Osborne of Brainerd, were married Tuesday, December 31, 1912, at the parsonage of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church, the pastor, C. Hougstad, officiating.

The groom is a graduate of Park Region Luther college, of Fergus Falls, Minn., and is at present engaged in educational work at Bradish, Nebraska. The bride is one of the popular teachers of Crow Wing county. The happy couple left for their Nebraska home on New Year's day.

The Dispatch joins their many friends in wishing them all possible happiness and prosperity.

How's This

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O.

We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by his firm.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O.

Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists.

Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Most Crowded Street.

The supreme sensation of New York's east side is the sensation of the astounding population. The most populous street in the world—Livingston street—is a sight not to be forgotten. Compared to this, an uptown thoroughfare of crowded middle class flats in the open country is an uninhabited desert. The architecture seemed to sweat humanity at every window and door. The roadways were often impassable. The thought of the hidden interiors was terrifying. Indeed, the hidden interiors would not bear thinking about. The fancy shunned them—a problem not to be settled by sudden municipal edicts, but only by the efflux of generations.—Harper's Magazine.

RETURNS FROM
PEACE RIVER

Harry Newgord Took up Land in the Grande Country of Alberta, Canada

MET MANY BRAINERD PEOPLE

In Locating and Returning, Mr. Newgord Made a Journey of Over 3,000 Miles

Harry Newgord, a well known Brainerd man, has just returned from the Peace River country of Alberta, Canada, where he took up land and in his trip from Brainerd to the north and back Mr. Newgord traversed over 3,000 miles. He has a large collection of interesting pictures giving a complete record of his travels and showing the difficulties encountered and the obstacles which he and his traveling companion successfully overcame.

Mr. Newgord left Brainerd about the second of October of last year and arrived at Edson, 130 miles west of Edmonton on the Grand Trunk railway, a week later. After getting supplies, purchasing a team and a "democrat," the latter being a small, light buggy, he and his companion, Walter Riddle, of Edson, left that place on the third of November. They took the new Edson trail which is cut in large part through a muskeg swamp, which is known all over the west as one of the most difficult trails to travel. Any man who has been over a muskeg swamp whether in Alaska or Canada knows what kind of a trail such ground produces in the fall of the year.

They reached Grand Prairie November 17 after many accidents which came near terminating the trip. Once they barely escaped drowning in the Little Smoky river. The ferry had been taken out and when fording the stream they encountered a lot of floating ice and were hedged in and had to chop their way through.

At Swan lake, British Columbia, they came upon the Borden family, former Crow Wing county residents who had lived on land now owned by Dr. J. L. Camp of Brainerd near Mission. The Borden family have a nice ranch of 640 acres situated on Swan lake 330 miles from a railway. Mr. Borden has a nice outfit of horses and cattle and seems to be doing well. He has made considerable money in trapping.

At Kleskun lake in Grande Prairie one sees numerous bands of wild horses which the Yukoners or Klondikers of the gold rush of 1898 had lost or abandoned. Each band is led by a big stallion and they are as wild as deer or caribou.

Occasionally settlers catch one or two, but the beasts are very difficult to train and are wilder than a western cayuse or mustang.

The Grande Prairie is the Mecca toward which the settlers are moving in Alberta nowadays. It is the "Last West" and when it is settled there will be no more wild land left. Mr. Newgord says it is supposed to be the best part of Canada and is called the paradise of Alberta. The prairie is alternately flat and rolling, interspersed with clumps of poplar and willow. Cattle and horses can and do range out the year around.

The winters are short and mild compared to the Minnesota brand. They never get sleighing before Jan. first and it seldom lasts six weeks. Mr. Newgord encountered fine weather all fall. Eight inches of snow fell November 29, but five days later a Chinook wind melted it all in one night.

The country is pretty well settled up, but good homesteads can be obtained in the Peace River country. Mr. Newgord selected a section of land for himself and his brothers and expects to start back in May. He leaves tomorrow for his home in Belmond, Iowa.

The long indoor life of winter makes the blood weak, the system easily catches cold and disease. Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest winter remedy; prevents colds and disease; keeps you well all winter. 35 cents. Tea or tablets. H. P. Dunn.—Adv.

Escaped After Fifteen Years

W. P. Broyles made a successful escape after fifteen years of suffering from kidney and bladder troubles. Foley Kidney Pills released him and will do just the same for others. He says: "They cured a most severe backache with painful bladder irregularities, and they do all you claim for them." Refuse substitutes. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

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Two Splendid Dramatic Subjects
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One of the Funniest

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And Music That Entertains

ADMISSION 5 AND 10 CENTS

BRAINERD PEOPLE SYMPATHIZE

The Smoke and Soot Nuisance so Much in Evidence in This City Also Bothers St. Cloud People

The St. Cloud Times says that the city is in doleful need of a smoke ordinance providing for the compulsion of a smoke arrester and consumer in the business section at least, is the opinion of many of the business men of the city. The smoke nuisance has asserted itself to a marked degree only a few times this winter as to-day was the instance of but the fourth appearance of sub zero weather. With the few cold days however, the morning showers of soot-laden smoke have caused not a little exasperation.

The adoption of an ordinance demanding the consumption of smoke will do away with the Pittsburgh effect which is so evident especially during the early forenoon hours when the business house heating plants are being crowded.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Brainerd for the week ending Jan. 10, 1913. When calling for these letters please say "advertised."

Austin, Mrs. W. S.
Colby, R. E.
Eck, Marchal
Johnson, Miss Hilda
Madsen, Mrs. Earnest
Neider, Mr. Curley

POST CARDS

Anderson, Miss Emelia
Anderson, Miss Merle
Beaumont, Mr. Earnie
Brousseau, Mr. Frank
Dormanen, Richard (2)
Johnson, Miss Bert
Johnson, Hilda
Johnson, Miss Vera
Kilgour, Mr. A. W. (Lone Pine)
McCall, Mrs. Margie
Martinson, Mr. John
Rivord, Miss Clara
Shaffold, Miss Mable
N. H. INGERSOLL, P. M.

W. R. Fox, 195 W. Washington St., Noblesville, Ind., says: "After suffering many months with kidney trouble, after trying other remedies and prescriptions, I purchased a box of Foley Kidney Pills which not only did me more good than any other remedies I ever used, but have positively set my kidneys right. Other members of my family have used them with similar results." Take at the first sign of kidney trouble. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of itching, blind, bleeding or protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c. mwf

Hoboes.
A hobo is a gentleman of leisure, but not all gentlemen of leisure are hoboes.—Manchester Union.

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Brainerd People Know How to Save it

Many Brainerd people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Weak kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health—the slightest delay is dangerous. Use Doan's Kidney Pills—a remedy that has helped thousands of kidney sufferers. Here is a Brainerd citizen's recommendation.

Mrs. George W. Hall, 623 Third Ave., Brainerd, Minn., says: "I can recommend Doan's Kidney Pills highly for I know them to be a good kidney medicine. They have always relieved me when I have had any trouble caused by my kidneys and have proven beneficial in every way. Other members of my family have taken Doan's Kidney Pills, procured at H. P. Dunn's drug store with the most satisfactory results."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.—Adv.

New Year's Resolutions

Now Being In Order

We wish to begin 1913 with the holiday spirit of good fellowship.

You know our reputation for selling high quality goods and we shall endeavor to uphold it.

We want you to come in and see our large stock of hardware.

Slipp-Gruenhagen Co.

"The House Of Quality"

Where you get the 2x Stamps

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STOCK EXCHANGE TO BE REGULATED

Profits of Promoters to Be Made Public Is Plan.

MORGAN THINKS IDEA GOOD.

Pujo Probers of Alleged Money Trust Show How Speculation and Manipulation Could Be Killed—Interstate Commerce Laws to Be Used on Wall Street Affairs.

The questions asked by the Pujo committee's counsel clearly indicated the program of reform which the committee had in mind in its probe of the alleged money trust, in some cases positively enough to make it practically certain that they will be included in the committee's recommendations.

There was one reform of which there seemed to be no doubt of the committee's endorsement, and that was compulsory publicity in regard to promoters' profits on stock issues listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

J. Pierpont Morgan acknowledged on the witness stand that such a regulation would be beneficial, but he doubted the practicability of attempting to enforce it. He thought that such an attempt would result in the organization of another exchange.

The committee seemed certain also to make some recommendation looking to the curtailment or abolition of manipulations of the stock market.

Several suggestions have been made by the committee in the course of the hearing. One was that members of the New York Stock Exchange be prohibited from executing orders for important operators who are known to have manipulated the market. Another was that the exchange compel the actual delivery of the stock at the New York exchange clearing house.

From what has already developed, however, the indications are that the committee itself will not attempt to lay down any rules as to how manipulation shall be wiped out, but instead will impose the duty on the responsible authorities of the stock exchanges.

Will Use Interstate Commerce Law.

It is known now that the committee expects to make reforms of this character possible through dealing with the New York Stock Exchange as an institution engaged in interstate commerce. To compel the incorporation of the exchange and to forbid the transmission of quotations over the telegraph wires unless the exchange adopts certain reforms is apparently the scheme on which the committee is at present proceeding.

Counsel for the committee in the course of the hearings thus far has indicated also that the investigators are seeking some method of preventing the flow of money to Wall street during periods of stringency in the money market. The suggestion has been made on several occasions that the limitation of the interest to be charged for call loans might reach this condition, but obviously this would be a matter for state legislation.

Mr. Morgan was of the opinion that nothing could prevent the attraction of money to Wall street for speculative purposes so long as Wall street was willing to pay high rates. He contended that if the sources in this country were closed against Wall street by usury law the money for speculation would be obtained from Europe.

As to the practice of clearing houses the investigating committee also seems to have some pretty definite views. It is practically certain they will

recommend that the state and national banking authorities have the power to review the judgment of the clearing house in cases where a member declines to clear for a nonmember bank.

There is strong likelihood also that the committee will recommend the discontinuance of the charging of commissions on the collection on out of town checks and also that any bank that is absolutely solvent and whose condition is approved by the state or national banking authorities shall be admitted to full membership in the clearing house.

It was learned early that the committee planned to call some of the younger members of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. and to question them in detail in regard to certain transactions. The committee in examining Mr. Morgan sought chiefly to obtain his general views, and it planned later to take up with Mr. Morgan's partners transactions on which it is seeking light.

Morgan Disarms Suspicion.

The general impression in Washington, however, is that Mr. Morgan's frank and forceful testimony has been a blow to the money trust end of the inquiry and that the committee from now on will make little progress in trying to establish the existence of a monopoly of this character.

It is expected several witnesses will be called who charge that they have been discriminated against in their efforts to obtain capital for new enterprises. It is reported that the Tennessee Coal and Iron transaction, Arthur E. Stilwell's complaint in regard to the Kansas City Southern road, Bernard F. Baker's futile efforts to finance a steamship line in opposition to the Southern Pacific steamship's interests and other cases will be taken up. The committee will not, however, allow itself to be made the dumping ground of a lot of complaints and grievances.

ABDUL BAHÁ'S VISIT IN U. S. Famous Persian Wins Many to New Religion.

Abdul Baha (Abbas Effendi), who would unite the religions of the world, has won the respect of Christendom, though he belongs to the race of Moslems.

This unique character is at the head of a religious faith, or, rather, a new interpretation of all the best faiths, which numbers 10,000,000 adherents all over the globe. He spent quite a



Photo by American Press Association.

ABDUL BAHÁ.

long visit in this country and departed recently, after having won many hundreds of converts to Baháism.

Though Baháism is the most liberal sort of belief, requiring no churches, no priests and no ritual, it has incurred the intense enmity of the Mohammedans, in whose land it originated seventy years ago. Thousands of Baháists have been martyred.

GOVERNMENT NOW TO RESCUE BABIES

Children's Bureau Active on Big Task.

TO FIND MORTALITY CAUSES

From Care of Cattle and Hogs Federal Machinery Has Turned to Conservation of Children—House to House Canvasses to Be Made—Babies in Poor Localities Die Fast.

The federal government, which has been for years providing for the welfare of cattle, hogs, potato plants and sugar beets, is at last actually coming to the rescue of the babies.

Beginning immediately after Christmas the newly created children's bureau of the department of commerce and labor, of which Miss Julia Lathrop of Chicago is the chief, began a campaign to save the lives of babies under one year of age.

This is the first inquiry undertaken by the bureau. Investigators will go into typical communities in every section of the country and make a house to house canvass.

"The purpose of the inquiry is to find out why the babies live and why they die," said Miss Lathrop.

"Of the 300,000 babies under one year of age dying yearly in the United States, at least 150,000 could be saved by the application of methods with which we are already as a people well acquainted.

Death Rate of Babies.

"The death rate for the total population is slowly but surely declining; adults are living on the average longer lives, but the death rate for babies less than one year old is not declining. The estimate of Dr. Cressy L. Wilbur, chief statistician, that at least 300,000 babies die annually in the United States means that one baby out of every eight dies before it is a year old.

"In certain unfavorable localities this rate is much greater. Babies in poor neighborhoods in an American city, for which figures are available, die at the rate of 373 per 1,000 babies under one year of age, while the corresponding rate for babies in the good residence quarters of the same city is 156. The New Zealand death rate for babies is but sixty-eight per 1,000 births. The great point about this inquiry is that it begins with the birth record of the child and follows it through its first year, instead of taking the mortality record and working backward. Its method will be to secure a list of all the children born within a given year in the communities under consideration.

"The schedule has been carefully prepared to cover the question of housing, feeding and care of the child, the milk supply, industrial and economic condition of the parents and sanitary conditions of the neighborhood—in fact, the hygienic surroundings of the child.

Parents to Be Visited.

"The method of this inquiry will necessarily be that of visits to parents by the women experts of the bureau. It will be seen that this is an absolutely democratic inquiry, involving, as it does, visits to every mother of a baby born within a given period of time. It seeks to discover the favorable conditions concerning children who survive, and it is believed that its whole purpose is such as to enlist the good will of the mothers of the country.

"All the cities in which this inquiry will be carried on have not yet been selected. It is certain, however, that at present cities can only be studied which are in that portion of the country designated as the birth registration area—that is, the New England States, Pennsylvania and Michigan."

NOBLE HOBBO KILLED BY TRAIN

Mangled Body of Descendant of Count von Bulow Is Found.

With both hands cut off and his skull fractured, Max von Bulow, said to be a descendant of Count von Bulow, the famous German general, was picked up on the railroad tracks near Reno, Nev., and died in the railroad hospital at Starks.

Von Bulow was a globe trotter and soldier of fortune. Several years ago he married Miss Christine Plumer, a wealthy woman of Pueblo, Colo., and they traveled through Europe in regal style. They were divorced. It is believed he was heading his way west on a passenger train and fell beneath the wheels.

Spanish Women's Hands.

The hands of a Spanish woman have a classic beauty, and their movements are incomparable. Such hands cannot be described; they can only be admired. When they manipulate a fan or roll a cigarette, when they raise a skirt or arrange a mantilla, it is always done with infinite grace. A Spanish woman alone knows how to use her hands as they truly should be used.—New York Sun.

A Settler.

"Yes," said Mr. Cummox earnestly, "but what convinces you that the duke loves our daughter deeply and devotedly?"

"The fact," replied his wife icily, "that he is willing to accept you as a father-in-law."—Washington Star.

Defining a Canard.

Willie—Paw, what is a canard? Paw—A canard is when a newspaper prints a statement that a politician who is a friend of the pee-pee has had his pants pressed.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

He Knew.

Little Brother—What's etiquette? Bigger Brother—It's saying "No; thank you," when you want to holler "Gimme!"—Judge.

Auto Tires.

Auto tires after they have been hardened by contact with earth and water are practically tireproof.

TWO QUEER ANIMALS.

But the Hook Tail Bear Put One Over on the Sidehill Creeper.

Paul Smith, the famous Adirondack guide and story teller, once met his match. There was an Englishman, supposedly with the proverbial English sense of humor, who went to Smith's for some deer shooting. The morning after his arrival he started out with a gun alone. As he left the camp Paul told him to beware of the "side hill creepers."

"What's a side hill creeper?" asked the Englishman.

"Well," said Paul, "it's an animal that lives on the side of a hill, and as its right legs are long and its left legs short it can only run on sloping ground. They are very ferocious, and if one starts after you you must run up or down hill, as on account of its deformity it cannot catch you when you do that."

The Englishman shouldered his gun and went out. About night time he returned. The guide said to him, "Well, I see you dodged the creepers, all right."

"No, I met one," said the Englishman.

"Yes?" said Paul. "How did you get away from him?"

"I ran uphill," said the Englishman. "You shouldn't have done that. You could make better time running downhill."

"I know it," said the Englishman, "but you see I met a hooked tail bear, and I just naturally had to run uphill."

"How's that?" asked Paul.

"Well, you know when a hooked tail bear gets started running the only way he can stop is to wrap his hooked tail around a tree. If I had run downhill he could have stopped, but when I ran uphill why every time he hooked his tail around a tree he just tumbled over backward, and so I got away."

Paul owned himself beaten and when the Englishman left refused to accept any money for his board.—New York Herald.

BURNING WOMEN ALIVE.

A Punishment That Was Abolished in England in 1790.

The horrible punishment of burning women alive seems to have existed in Saxon England, but perhaps only in the case of slaves. Under the Norman rulers any woman, bond or free, who killed her husband was burned alive, and the same punishment for this crime and also for high treason and even for coining and other minor offenses continued or arose from time to time through the second and third periods until it was abolished by act of parliament in 1790, the last actual execution of this kind having, however, taken place six years earlier.

The whipping of women for various offenses continued even later. Public whipping was not abandoned until 1817, and cases of private whipping occurred as late as 1820.

There can be no doubt, we think, that the savage human instinct of cruelty had something to do with the barbarous punishments above mentioned. As the old Roman public longed for the carnage of the circus, as the Spanish populace crowded to the auto-da-fé in the flourishing days of the inquisition, so the lower (perhaps not only the lower) strata of English nationality took delight in witnessing tortures which in all probability were devised and kept up partly for their entertainment. Judge Jeffreys in sentencing a woman to be whipped is reported to have said:

"Hangman, I charge you to pay particular attention to this lady. Scourge her till her blood runs down. It is Christmas time, a cold time for madam to strip. See that you burn her shoulders thoroughly."—Cornhill Magazine.

SYSTEMS IN GAMBLING.

Monte Carlo Just Smiles at Them and Keeps on Winning.

There are only two games played at Monte Carlo—roulette and a simple card game called trente et quarante. One is assured that these games are played quite fairly and that the percentage in favor of the bank is 61 to 60. Whatever it may be, this certain percentage in favor of the tables overcomes all systems that human ingenuity can work out by any law of averages. M. Blanc will permit you to play any way you like, and to double your bet as often as you like until it reaches 6,000 francs at roulette or 20,000 francs at trente et quarante. Then you must begin over again, for it is quite clear that if one were permitted to double indefinitely it would only be a question of time and sufficient money to put M. Blanc out of business.

Thus it happens that M. Blanc, who takes no chance, wins against all those who are permitted to take any sort of chance they like. Sir Hiram Maxim disposed of all systems when he shattered a popular delusion in these words: "If red has come up twenty times in succession it is just as likely to come up at the twenty-first time as it would be if it had not come up before for a week. Each particular coup is governed altogether by the physical conditions existing at that particular instant. The ball spins round a great many times in a groove. When its momentum is used up it comes in contact with several pieces of brass and finally tumbles into a pocket in the wheel which is rotating in an opposite direction. It is a pure and unadulterated question of chance, and it is not influenced in the least by anything that has ever taken place before or that will take place in the future."—Melville Davison Post in Saturday Evening Post.

The Bright Guide.

It was a party of visitors seeing the sights in Pittsburgh that finally entered the conservatory presented to the city by Mr. Phipps. The curator while showing them around was called away on business and left the visitors in charge of one of the clerks. They came to a beautiful statue which was admired immensely. It was of translucent marble. He pointed out the excellences of the statue, told the name of the sculptor and showed it from every viewpoint. One asked, "Alabaster, isn't it?" "No," he said, "Venus."—Argonaut.

CHANCE FORECASTS.

Writers of Old Who Dimly Pointed to Modern Inventions.

Chance phrases in the literary works of other days describe with uncanny exactness inventions of far later times. For instance, we find in the "Prolusions" of Strada the Roman, which were published in the year 1617, what might be held to embody a crude description of wireless telegraphy.

Strada represents two friends as carrying on a correspondence by means of a "certain loudstone which has such virtue in it that, if it touches two needles when one of the needles begins to move, the other, although at ever so great a distance, moves at the same time and in the same manner."

In 1674 Robert Hooke published a work wherein he observed that as glasses improve the vision so ways might be found to improve our other senses. "It is not impossible," says he, "to hear a whisper at a distance of a far long, and perhaps the nature of the thing would not make it impossible although that furlong should be ten times multiplied." This seems to be a fair forecast of the telephone.

In "Gulliver's Travels" Swift causes his hero to relate in the voyage to Laputa that the astronomers there "have likewise discovered the two lesser stars or satellites which revolve about Mars." This has been held to constitute a satire on sham science. Nevertheless Professor Asaph Hall a few years ago discovered the two tiny satellites.

It was more than 1,700 years ago that Lucian gave an account of the manner wherein the inhabitants of the moon drank "air squeezed or compressed into a goblet" so that it formed a kind of dew. This clearly suggests liquid air.

The same writer in "Vera Historia" humorously and at some length describes an aerial ship the sails of which were inflated by a whirlwind, thus impelling it through space to the moon.—Harper's.

Sound One.

"What's your objection to my labor theory?"

"It won't work."—Exchange.

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This wonderful fruit laxative acts as a liver and bowel cleanser—tonic—not as an irritant. Its action is natural and gentle—no gripping. It is delicious—no dreading. It is positive and prompt—no waiting.

If your stomach is sour and filled with vile gases, your head aches, or you are bilious, nervous, dizzy, half sick, your tongue coated, your thirty feet of bowels clogged with waste not properly carried off—don't wait. Surely take a teaspoonful of delicious Syrup of Figs tonight and in the morning all constipated waste, sour bile, gases and poisons will move on and out of the system, gently but thoroughly—no gripping—no nausea—no weakness. In the old days

people let these matters run until they needed a large dose of physic, when they took something severe, like castor oil, salts or cathartics, that meant abuse to the bowels. These are the days of the gentle and natural—the days of Syrup of Figs. This way you are not drugging yourself. Syrup of Figs being composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and aromatics is an not cause injury. Ask your druggist for "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna," and look for the name, California Fig Syrup Company on the label. This is the genuine—old reliable. Any other so-called Fig Syrup is an imitation often meant to deceive you. Refuse such with contempt.—Advt.

HANGS HERSELF IN A CELL.

Woman Held on Theft Charge Cannot Bear Disgrace.

Mrs. Lillian Scott, awaiting trial in New York on a charge of grand larceny, committed suicide by hanging herself in her cell. She had used a bed sheet tied to a water pipe near the ceiling of the cell.

Mrs. Scott had been accused by Mrs. Olive Searles of Brooklyn of stealing a fur coat valued at \$1,800, a seal muff worth \$200 and a diamond brooch while in charge of Mrs. Searles' house during the latter's absence in Europe. Her examination had been set in the Harlem court.

Mrs. Searles, on learning of the tragedy, was prostrated. She said she would gladly have sacrificed the stolen goods rather than have the woman kill herself.

Flying to India.

The English aviator Cody is making plans to take part in the flight from London to India. This event has lately been organized and is likely to be of great interest on account of the unusual length of the trip. Several important prizes are to be awarded for the lights. However, the organizers are likely to postpone the event for some time owing to the fact that the original path lies across the Balkans.

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Long stroke motor (4 1/2 x 6), left-side drive, center control, Gray & Davis electric starter, Gray & Davis dynamo electric lighting system, Bosch double dual magnet, multiple jet carburetor, 12-inch Turkish upholstery, tire pump integral part of motor, 128-inch wheelbase, Hoffer speedometer, full floating rear axle, concealed baggage compartments, tire carriers, full heavy nickel trimmings, powerful brakes, perfect oiling system, robe rail, foot rest, foot mat in running board, concealed tool box, electric horn, top, curtains, Truflow-Hartford Shock Absorbers in rear, adjustable ventilating and rain vision windshield. Five Models—\$2,750 to \$3,400.

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FRUIT LOSS WILL
BE \$40,000,000Oranges and Lemons Frozen in
Southern California.

CROP MAY BE TOTAL LOSS

Report From Pomona, the Center of One of the Heaviest Producing Sections, Says Every Acre From San Bernardino to Los Angeles Has Been Destroyed—Unusual Cold Spell Seems to Be Passing.

Los Angeles, Jan. 8.—"From San Bernardino to Los Angeles every acre of oranges and lemons has been frozen."

This was the statement that came from Pomona, the center of one of the heaviest producing sections of the citrus fruit belt. Only a fifth of the crop may be salvaged, it was asserted. If this is true the total loss on 150,000 acres of fruit will amount close to \$40,000,000.

More conservative estimates, however, figure the total damage at \$20,000,000. Between \$5,000,000 and \$8,000,000 of this sum will be the loss to railroads in curtailed freight receipts.

In the face of this situation fruit growers, worn out by forty-eight hours' battle against an almost unprecedented visitation of frost, received warning to get out their smudging pots again. With the warning the weather bureau issued a bulletin stating that the worst of the cold wave had passed, but even this prediction of warmer weather brought with it some apprehension and uncertainty.

According to growers a sudden return to the warmth of normal winter conditions would irreparably damage fruit which might be still in such condition that a gradual rise of temperature would leave it in marketable shape.

Means Ruin of Citrus Crop.

This additional loss would mean practically the complete ruin of the citrus crop, the value of which has been placed at \$50,000,000.

Smudging operations were again in progress in many sections of the citrus belt.

The cost of fighting the frosts has been approximately \$1.25 per acre per night. Already there have been two nights of smudging on nearly every one of the 150,000 acres which comprise the citrus fruit zone of Southern California.

Growers and representatives of fruit buying and shipping concerns reported that an inspection of the entire citrus country showed great devastation. The cold was so intense and so sustained in all sections that the orange and lemon foliage appeared shriveled and dry. Orchardists maintain that the matured trees were not damaged, though they admit that frost killed much nursery stock.

While Pomona reported a damage of 80 per cent of the crop San Bernardino county appeared to be the heaviest sufferer. San Bernardino included the large Redlands orange section, adjoining Riverside, and it was declared that 90 per cent of the crop was irretrievably ruined. In this county alone, it was asserted, growers would lose from \$9,000,000 to \$11,000,000.

PREDICTS END OF COLD SPELL

California Temperature Low as 16 Degrees Above.

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—A few more hours will see the end of the devastating cold spell that has held California in its grasp for the last three days, according to Alexander G. McAuliffe, director of the government weather bureau here.

The lowest temperature reported at Los Angeles was 28 degrees above zero, which was the lowest mark reached in San Diego. At other points in the South, however, the mercury dipped as low as 16 degrees. In San Francisco the maximum was 36.

WAS 54 BELOW IN COLORADO

But Crisis Has Passed and Temperature Is Rising.

Denver, Jan. 8.—With slowly rising temperatures reported from all over Colorado it is believed the cold wave which has prevailed over the Rocky mountain region has passed its crisis.

Reports from the western slope in Colorado tell of all records for cold being broken. The lowest temperatures recorded in the Rocky mountain region is at Steamboat Springs, where an unofficial record of 54 degrees was made.

LEMON CROP ABSOLUTE LOSS

Growers Not Prepared for Cold in San Diego Districts.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 8.—Reports from nearly every lemon district in San Diego county say that the intense cold of the last two days means an absolute loss of the lemon crop. The temperature reached a minimum of 24.9 degrees and caught the growers unprepared with smudges.

ARCHBALD CASE
NEARING AN END

Evidence Complete and Arguments to Take Three Days.

JURIST HAS TRYING ORDEAL

Cross-Examination of the Accused Commerce Court Judge in Impeachment Proceedings Is Joined in by Many Senators—At Least Five House Managers Will Argue for Archbald's Conviction.

Washington, Jan. 8.—The propriety of a federal judge's writing to an attorney on one side of a case that had been argued before him for information or argument to clear up doubtful points became the point around which members of the senate fired questions at Judge Robert W. Archbald of the United States commerce court, under trial by impeachment for alleged violation of his federal oath.

Cross-examination of the accused jurist, began by Representative Sterling, one of the house members conducting the prosecution, was virtually taken out of his hands when that charge was reached involving Judge Archbald's correspondence with Attorney Helm Bruce of the Louisville and Nashville railroad.

Members of the senate demanded of Judge Archbald time and again whether he did not think it improper and unfair to the other parties in a suit to request of one attorney an explanation or correction of evidence without giving like privileges to the other side.

Will Divide Time Equally.

Archbald held the witness stand for nearly two hours. The end of all testimony in the case came before the close of the proceedings. There remain now only the closing arguments and the vote of the senate as to whether Judge Archbald is guilty. The senate determined to give three days to the arguments, the time to be divided equally. It is expected at least five of the house managers will participate.

The Louisville and Nashville charge centered about Judge Archbald's request of Attorney Bruce for information as to a certain point in the Montgomery rate cases, which had been argued before the commerce court. Judge Archbald said he had differed with the balance of the court and, in writing a dissenting opinion, he asked Mr. Bruce to clear up a controverted question about whether or not certain rate changes violated the old "Cooley arbitration" treaty, that had long operated over the Southwestern rates.

TO ELIMINATE MIDDLEMAN

Express Company Plans to Compete With Parcel Post.

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—Direct competition, national in scope, between the Wells Fargo Express company and the federal parcel post will go into effect as soon as plans which the company has been maturing for the past four years can be set afoot. Such was the statement made here by C. H. Graham, traffic manager of the company, at a hearing before the state railroad commission.

Competition, he explained, would extend to both rates and service, with special regard to eggs, butter, poultry, and other perishable foodstuffs, to be delivered direct from shipper to consignee, thus eliminating the middleman's profits.

TO STAND BY VETOED BILL

Only Change Democrats Are Likely to Make May Be on Spices.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Discussion of the chemical schedule of the revised tariff legislation to be enacted by the coming extra session of congress was closed so far as public hearings are concerned. The indications are that the Democratic majority of the house committee on ways and means will sustain almost in identical terms its chemical schedule as embodied in the bill that passed both houses and was vetoed in the last congress.

It is possible that there may be some modification of the rates on spices, which several members of the committee favor, but this is uncertain.

Zero Temperatures in Arizona.

Tucson, Ariz., Jan. 8.—Records of many years were broken here when the thermometer registered 5 degrees above zero. Zero temperatures were recorded at Bowie, Wilcox and other Eastern Arizona points. There was a heavy snowfall at all of these places.

SENATOR SWANSON.

Favors Government Aid in Building Good Roads.



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ASKS \$25,000,000 FOR ROADS

Senator Swanson Proposes Appropriation to Build Highways.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Federal appropriation of \$25,000,000 to aid the states for good roads is proposed in a bill by Senator Swanson.

Mr. Swanson's bill contemplates the apportionment of the proposed appropriation among the states according to population and mileage of post roads. It is provided that in every instance the states shall pay one-half the cost of construction, but after the completion of any given road the national authorities are to withdraw from all supervision.

SAYS SHIP COMBINE IS GIVING REBATES

Coffee Importer Describes System of Deferred Payments.

Washington, Jan. 8.—A system of deferred rebates granted by the so called "ship combination" to shippers who deal exclusively with its members was described to the house merchant marine committee by a representative of a firm who had received rebates for four years.

The testimony was given by Joseph Purcell of Hard & Rand of New York, one of the largest importers of Brazilian coffee to the United States. He said that for shipping its coffee exclusively by the Lamport and Holt line, the Prince line and the Hamburg-South America line, his concern is given a maximum rebate of 10 per cent.

J. J. Slechts, New York agent for the Lloyd Brasileiro line, owned and operated by the Brazilian government between New York and Brazil, testified that his company during the last six years, in attempting to compete with the "conference" lines, had lost \$6,000,000. He further swore that his company had been able to get the trade of only one big coffee importer, the Arbuckle, and that in his opinion the only explanation for this was the existence of a deferred rebating system. He acknowledged he had no positive knowledge of the existence of such a system.

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FATAL WRECK ON BIG FOUR

One Killed and Three Probably Mortally Hurt.

Lafayette, Ind., Jan. 8.—One person was killed, three probably fatally injured, and thirty-three slightly hurt when six cars on train No. 15 of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago and St. Louis railroad, the Big Four—northbound, from Cincinnati to Chicago, jumped the track at Stockwell, near here.

The train was running at a high speed when a wheel on the baggage car broke, throwing that car, the smoker, day coach, the diner and two Pullmans into a ditch.

THREE DIE IN SNOWSLIDE

Six Canadian Miners Caught in Avalanche.

Sandon, B. C., Jan. 8.—Six men were caught in a snowslide 2,000 feet above the Noble Five mine and three lost their lives. The other three had miraculous escapes.

A rescue party was started out immediately, but no trace could be found of the bodies.

ANGLO-AMERICAN
PEACE PLAN MADE

Hundredth Anniversary of Treaty to Be Event.

WILL OCCUR CHRISTMAS, '14

Statesmen of Both Nations Anxious For Celebration to Relieve Strained Relations Over Canal Tolls, Etc. War Experts See Threatening Outlook and Are Preparing.

By ARTHUR W. DUNN.

Washington, Jan. 8.—[Special.]—About Christmas time, 1914, will be the one hundredth anniversary of the conclusion of the last peace treaty between the United States and Great Britain, and peace advocates and statesmen of both countries are getting ready to have the event properly celebrated, more particularly to celebrate each country upon the fact that there has been 100 years of peace between the two great English speaking nations of the world. Some of the peace men are even trying to hurry the events, for it is well known that in the two years there may be mighty serious complications between the countries.

From everything that can be learned it is probable that the differences over canal tolls and the smashed Hay-Pauncefote treaty may become very acute. Military men are looking up data upon the northern frontier and have been suggesting that a national reserve ought to be organized in order to meet any emergency which may arise. And so it happens that while the peace makers are talking peace the war anticipators are preparing for war.

A Republican Problem.

When the Sixty-third congress convenes the Republicans will have a committee problem as well as the Democrats. There are seventeen minority committees in the senate—that is, committees with the same patronage and places as the big committees, but which have minority members as chairman. The object is to secure patronage for old senators. Now these minority chairmanships go according to seniority. The oldest minority senators have the first choice. Besides these seventeen places, there is what is called chairman of the minority, a place which will go to Senator Gallinger, leaving seventeen places for the next seventeen Republicans.

Those Republicans, including insurgents, are Lodge, Perkins, Clark (Wyoming), Warren, Nelson, Penrose, McCumber, Dillingham, Clapp, Smoot, La Follette, Sutherland, Brandegee, Du Pont, Smith (Michigan), Borah and Stephenson. Ordinarily it would be easy enough to distribute the chairmanships from private land claims to disposition of useless documents among these men, but Clapp, La Follette and Borah are not on the reservation. Clapp and La Follette may not go into the Republican caucus, but still they are senators, and never have senators been turned down. Just what to do with Clapp and La Follette is a problem.

Cleveland and Spoils. "Woodrow Wilson will not dare make such a carnival of the offices as did Cleveland in 1893," remarked a Republican senator. But Cleveland was forced to use all the patronage he could reach in order to put through the silver repeal bill. Cleveland was considerable of a civil service reformer. Many Democrats fear that Wilson will also be inclined in that direction.

Didn't Know Arizona.

It was the proud boast of Senator Ashurst that he knew every man in Arizona. He thought he did until the recent election. Since then he has been getting letters from about twice as many people as he is supposed to live in the new state. In this connection it is related that Senator Mark Smith of the same state met Ashurst the night of election. "Better skip out, Henry," he said. "I'm going to leave tonight."

"Why?" asked the young senator. "If you're here twenty-four hours after Wilson is elected you'll be swamped by office seekers. I'm going where they can't reach me."

"Jim Mann's Circus."

After looking over the gallery of the house for a few minutes and observing that the minority leader was still on the job a newspaper correspondent remarked, "I see Jim Mann's circus is here again."

Trying to Grab the Wilsons. Every organization and many would be social leaders are trying to grab the Wilsons and make use of them to boost themselves into prominence. "Women's auxiliaries" of political organizations, women's clubs, social organizations and individuals have written to Mrs. Wilson asking to be received or to have a time set apart when they may pay their respects. Those who can get in on this deal will have some prominence, and perhaps they will get a "pull" for the future which will make them prominent during the administration.

Naturally the Wilsons do not know much about the game that is being played, but they are sensible enough to know that they must go very slowly.

The Anemone.

Anemone means "wind flower." The anemone is so delicately poised that it trembles in the slightest breeze.

HOKE SMITH.

Georgia Senator to Confer With Wilson.



TO MAKE VIGOROUS FIGHTS

Democrats Hope to Gain Several More Senators.

Washington, Jan. 8.—Efforts to strengthen the narrow Democratic majority in the next senate, now estimated at one or two, are holding the close attention of Democratic leaders in Washington and forming the basis for much of the conference now going on between members of the senate and President-elect Wilson.

Senators Hoke Smith of Georgia and Gore of Oklahoma, who have been invited to Trenton for a conference with the president-elect, will go primed with details of the fight that is being waged to capture additional Democratic senatorships in Maine, New Hampshire, Illinois and South Dakota, where the balance of power is held by the Progressives.

POWERS PREPARING FOR INTERVENTION

European Nations Will See That Balkan War Ends.

London, Jan. 8.—Sir Edward Grey, the British secretary for foreign affairs, made this statement in the house of commons regarding the possibility of intervention by the powers should the peace plenipotentiaries fail to reach an agreement:

"This subject is in course of receiving the attention of the powers, but I cannot make any public statement as to their views or decisions, except such as may be made by common consent."

The Balkan delegates were unofficially informed that the ambassadors at Constantinople were continuing to exert pressure on the porte to find the best way to come to terms with the Balkan states. Some difficulties are being met with at the ambassadorial conference in London and the question of the frontier of Albania has been abandoned for the moment as it has been found impossible to reconcile the desires of Austria for an extended Albania with the suggestions of Russia for narrowing the boundaries of the new state.

YACHT BLAST KILLS THREE

New York Couple Escape in Open Power Boat After Accident.

Titusville, Fla., Jan. 8.—Upon the arrival here of Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Cneeseborough of New York it became known that their yacht Hentress was sunk and three of the crew killed by an explosion off Cape Canaveral. The Cneeseboroughs and four members of the Hentress' crew took refuge in a small power boat, in which they made their way to Cape Canaveral.

The accident occurred while the Hentress was en route to Miami from New York. The cook, the steward and a seaman were killed.

HULL NAMED FOR SPEAKER

Black River Falls Man Chosen by Wisconsin Republican Caucus.

Madison, Wis., Jan. 8.—Merlin Hull of Black River Falls was endorsed for speaker of the Wisconsin assembly by the Republican caucus on the second ballot. The La Follette adherents, who had supported L. L. Johnson and S. C. Goff, switched to Hull on the second ballot. Ray J. Nye of Superior, who was strongly supported, received sixteen votes on both the first and second formal ballots.

There were fifty-four Republicans in the caucus.

In the senate Senator Henry C. Martin of Darlington, a member of that body for fourteen years, was endorsed unanimously for president pro tem.

Frozen to Death in Frisco.

San Francisco, Jan. 8.—James Clark, twenty-eight years old, was found dead from cold and exposure. No similar death is recorded in the history of San Francisco.

GALE DESTROYS
OIL STEAMSHIP

WORKMEN'S ACT IN MONTANA

Compensation Measure Introduced Based on Washington Law.

Helena, Mont., Jan. 8.—A workmen's compensation act, patterned after the Washington law, was introduced in the house by unanimous consent.

The first message of Governor Samuel V. Stewart to the legislature was read. The governor said that, among reforms promised and to bring about which he is ready to do his part, is a law extending the power of the state board of equalization, a public service commission, a workmen's compensation act, new road laws, and providing for the supervision of all investment companies, on regulating the appropriation and use of water for power purposes and a law providing for summary removal of officers who fail or refuse to perform their duty.

The governor also recommended the passage of a law submitting to the voters a woman suffrage amendment.

EXTEND CLOTHING STRIKE

Ladies' Garment Workers Taking Walkout Vote.

New York, Jan. 8.—Both sides in the garment workers' strike drew their lines closer in preparation for a protracted struggle. Employers belonging to the Clothing Trade Manufacturers' association voted not to recognize the closed shop nor to deal with the workers' union. Some 75,000 members of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' union began voting on whether they should join the United Garment Workers' in the walkout.

Leaders of the international predicted that the strike would be called, but said it would take probably until Saturday to poll the whole vote.

CART WATER IN SALT LAKE

Supply Frozen Solid and Wagons Dispersed by Gallon.

Salt Lake City, Jan. 8.—Water was sold by the gallon in the streets of Salt Lake City from sprinkling carts, because of the extreme cold weather, which cut off the city's supply.

Several laundries and other concerns have been compelled to suspend operations because of the lack of water.

The cold wave, it is believed, is broken and relief from the water famine is hoped for.

FATALLY WOUNDS A BANDIT

Chicago Policeman Captures Two Holdup Men.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Activity of holdup men received a check here when Thomas Scully, aged seventeen years, was shot through the lung and fatally wounded by a policeman while attempting with a companion to rob a man.

Officer Reilly witnessed the attempted robbery from the porch of his home and opened fire on the thieves when they refused to surrender. The other bandit gave up when he saw his companion shot down. Both were armed.

Wins Wager, but Loses Life.

Danville, Ky., Jan. 8.—Jack Coleman of Harrodsburg, Ky., bet Henry Marshall that he could put a rifle bullet through Marshall's hat without touching his scalp. Marshall accepted the wager, and won it. The bullet went through the hat and Marshall's skull, killing him instantly. Coleman was arrested.

GRAIN AND PROVISION PRICES

Duluth Wheat and Flax.

Duluth, Jan. 8.—Wheat—To arrive on track—No. 1 hard, 84¢; No. 1 Northern, 83¢; No. 2 Northern, 81¢; May, 86¢; July, 88¢. Flax—On track and to arrive, \$1.23; Jan., \$1.23½; May, \$1.27½.

South St. Paul Live Stock.

South St. Paul, Jan. 8.—Cattle—Steers, \$5.75@8.50; cows and heifers, \$4.00@7.00; calves, \$4.00@8.75; feeders, \$3.75@6.90. Hogs—\$7.15@7.30. Sheep—Lambs, \$3.75@8.00; wethers, \$3.50@4.90; ewes, \$2.00@4.50.

Chicago Grain and Provisions.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Wheat—May, 91¢@91½¢; July, 89½¢. Corn—May, 49¢@49½¢; July, 50½¢@50¾¢. Oats—May, 33¢; July, 33¢. Pork—Jan., \$17.60; May, \$18.07. Butter—Creameries, 27@35¢. Eggs—19@25¢. Poultry—Turkeys, 15@20¢; chickens, 14¢; springs, 14¢.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Jan. 8.—Cattle—Beeves, \$5.75@9.40; Texas steers, \$4.70@5.85; Western steers, \$5.70@7.40; stockers and feeders, \$4.00@7.60; cows and heifers, \$2.85@7.60; calves, \$6.75@10.50. Hogs—Light, \$7.20@7.50; mixed, \$7.25@7.55; heavy, \$7.25@7.55; rough, \$7.25@7.55; pigs, \$5.75@7.40. Sheep—Native, \$4.50@5.75; yearlings, \$6.15@8.00; lambs, \$6.50@8.90.

Minneapolis Grain.

Minneapolis, Jan. 8.—Wheat—May, 86½¢; July, 88½¢. Cash close on track: No. 1 hard, 80½¢; No. 1 Northern, 83½¢@85¢; to arrive, 83½¢@84½¢; No. 2 Northern, 81½¢@83¢; No. 3 Northern, 79½¢@81¢; No. 3 yellow corn, 41½¢@42¢; No. 4 corn, 38¢@40½¢; No. 3 white oats, 30¢@30½¢; to arrive, 30¢; No. 3 oats, 27½¢@29½¢; barley, 45¢@63¢; flax, \$1.25½¢; to arrive, \$1.25½¢.

Thirty-one Members of the Crew of Thirty-five Parish.

THREE TAKEN FROM RIGGING

One Other Survivor Reaches Shore Six Miles From the Scene of the Disaster—Vessel Runs Aground on Pacific Coast and High Seas and Terrific Winds Soon Cause Her to Break Up.

Astoria, Ore., Jan. 8.—When the oil tank steamship Rosecrans, bound from Monterey, Cal., to Portland, Ore., ran aground on Peacock spit while crossing into the Columbia river during a fifty-five-mile gale thirty-one members of her crew of thirty-five were lost.

One survivor of the wreck was reported to have reached shore at Tiloga, Wash., six miles from the scene of the disaster, and the Point Adams lifesaving crew rescued three other men. The men had taken refuge in the rigging of one of the masts when the ship went down. For many hours they clung there, the waves breaking over them repeatedly. Two of the men were taken from their perch, while the third, who had leaped into the sea when the lifeboat neared the spot, was taken from the water.

The Rosecrans was hurled upon the rocks of Peacock Point at the same place where the steamship General Washington went aground a year ago. Owing to the thick weather the plight of the Rosecrans was not learned for several hours. When her perilous position became known tugs and the Port Canby and Point Adams lifesaving crew hurried to her aid.

When the tugs reached the neighborhood of the tanker she was found to be hard aground and the high seas and driving winds made a near approach impossible. The wrecked vessel soon shifted and began to break up and before the tugs and lifesavers could get near enough to put a line aboard she slipped off the rocks and sank until only her masts and the funnel appeared above the water, with three men of the crew clinging to the rigging.

FOG HAMPERS STEAMSHIPS

Two Vessels Run Aground in New York Harbor.

New York, Jan. 8.—Shrouded in one of the densest fogs in memory of seafaring men New York harbor was in a state of almost complete blockade and two vessels which tried to nose their way out met with mishap.

The Adriatic of the White Star line, with J. Pierpont Morgan and former United States Senator Nelson W. Aldrich of Rhode Island among its 1,600 passengers, grounded off Governors Island.

The Hamilton of the Old Dominion line ran ashore at Fort Wadsworth and stove in her bow above the water line by its impact with a stone pier.

MYSTERY IN DOUBLE TRAGEDY

Man and Wife Found Dead and Infant Near Death.

Paris, Ill., Jan. 8.—Police are unable to decide whether the death of William Moss, Jr., and his wife was due to murder and suicide or a double murder.

The body of the woman was found in the front yard of the Moss home, six miles northeast of here. She had been shot four times with a revolver. Moss' body was discovered on a pile of grain sacks in a buggy shed. His left jaw had been torn away by a gun shot. A shotgun lay by his side. A six-month-old child of the couple was found in the house. It was near death from cold and hunger and may die.

HEAD OFF ANTI-JAP BILLS

Californians Bring Pressure to Bear on Legislators.

Sacramento, Cal., Jan. 8.—Efforts to prevent introduction of bills against alien labor or other unfavorable measures affecting aliens were made at a conference between several members of the legislature, Governor Johnson and President Moore of the Panama exposition.

As it seemed to have occurred to many members in both houses that this would be a good session to put in such bills they have been prepared in various shapes and not all of the authors have been headed off. There is a possibility that some of them will decline to be stopped.

FOUR PERISH IN A WRECK

Three Passengers and Member of Crew of Steamer Cheslake.

Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 8.—The steamer Cheslake, owned by the Union Steamship company of Vancouver was wrecked off Van Endra, north of Vancouver. Wireless messages say three passengers and a member of the crew perished. The other passengers and seamen were rescued.

The Cheslake plied between this port and Texada island, seventy-five miles northward.

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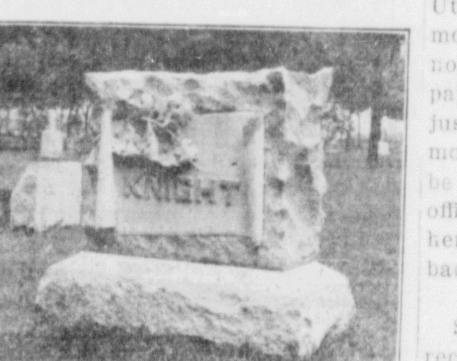
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WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 8, 1913

The senate combine fell flat, but whether of its own weight is not recorded. It never was popular with the people.

According to a statement from the treasury department each one of us had \$34.72 each on January 2. That is a libel on those who did their Christmas shopping early.

The politician of the Minneapolis Journal falls to find the "Bull Moose" following in the state legislature, and the third term proposition does not seem to be popular, on the surface at any rate.

The orange crop of California is in danger and hundreds of snuffe fires are being kept burning to protect the fruit from the cold weather that has prevailed in that section. They won't even be able to hand us a lemon unless frosts are prevented.

Congressman Miller has had the matter of a proposal to build a storage reservoir in Mille Lacs and Onamia lakes, which form the outlet of Rum river, again taken under advisement by the river and harbor board after an adverse report by the secretary of war.

Notice has been given from the United States engineer's office at St. Paul, Minn., that they have rendered an unfavorable report in the pending proposition for the improvement of the reservoirs at the headwaters of the Mississippi river, with a view to the construction of locks in the dams heretofore built at Pokegama, Winnibigoshish and Leech Lake.

The city recorder of Park City, Utah, is a woman, a widow and the mother of two children, but that did not prevent her from padding the pay rolls of the street department—just like a man would do it. She is more fortunate than a man would be in a similar condition for the city officials have agreed not to prosecute her for the offense, and she pays back the money.

Some interesting dairy figures have recently been gathered by H. J. Maxfield, commissioner of immigration, and given to the public which show a remarkable growth of Minnesota's creameries and that industry, during the past twelve years. The surprising fact is learned that the creameries in the state have more than doubled in that time. In 1899 Minnesota had 582 creameries and in 1911 she had 814. In 1889

we manufactured 44,007,933 pounds of butter against 98, 984,789 pounds in 1911. But the most interesting and important fact is that in 1899, \$6,959,914.55 was paid out to our farmers for butter fat, against \$22,381,375.26 in 1911, or a gain of \$15,421,460.71, more than three times as much in 1911 as was paid out in 1899. This of course is not due entirely to increased production, but largely to advance in prices.

LOCAL NEWS NOTES

Blankets at cost at Reis' dry goods store.—Adv. 17917
R. M. Adams, of Deerwood, was in Brainerd Tuesday.

E. B. Congdon, of Crosby, was in the city yesterday.
Col. Freeman Thorp, of Hubert, was a Brainerd visitor today.

Schmidt's bottle beer, famous for quality. Order a case. Telephone 164. John Coates Liquor Co.—Adv.

Mrs. Sadie Colvot of Klondike, was a visitor of Mrs. M. A. Billings.

Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Egan, of Deerwood, were Brainerd visitor yesterday.

George D. LaBar was attending to business matters at Bemidji yesterday.

Old Pilsner style brainerd beer. Famous for quality and purity. Delivered to any part of the city. Phone 213.—Adv. 2591f

B. Magoffin, Jr., of Deerwood, was in the city today attending to business matters.

F. S. Benjamin, of Crosby, was in the city yesterday attending to business matters.

F. S. Parker is suffering with a severe attack of a cold and his voice is shrouded in gloom.

Things move along so rapidly nowadays that people who say it cannot be done are interrupted by some who are doing it. See the NEW VACUUM CLOTHES WASHER sold by Miss Caroline L. Morrison.—Adv. 18412

Mrs. V. Moore, of Deerwood, was at Brainerd yesterday having her eyes treated by Dr. A. F. Groves.

W. B. Jones, county commissioner of Cass county, was in the city today on his way from Walker to Sylvan.

Don't forget the basketball game at High school auditorium, Brainerd H. S. vs Staples H. S., Friday evening, 8:15 sharp. Fast game assured.—Adv. 18214

C. J. Evensta went to Sylvan this afternoon where he has a large farm. Mr. Evensta, however, does not do much farming when the thermometer registers 30 below.

There was brought to Brainerd today the body of six months old James Winterstein, of Bemidji, accompanied by Charles Winterstein. Burial will be in Evergreen cemetery.

You can wash your tub of clothes in 3 minutes with the NEW VACUUM CLOTHES WASHER. Demonstration at 208 South Sixth street this Friday afternoon.—Adv. 18412

William Seafeld, the enterprising superintendent of the Helmer Exploration company, is in Brainerd looking after business and also attending to exploration work he has in progress in the vicinity of Brainerd.

A demonstration of the NEW VACUUM CLOTHES WASHER will be given by Miss Caroline L. Morrison at 208 South Sixth street, the Grandmeyer millinery store, at 3 o'clock Friday afternoon.
The ladies of the city are invited to see the great new washer.—Adv. 18412

M. E. Scott, national organizer of the Loyal Order of Moose, will arrive Saturday noon preparatory to installing a lodge here Sunday night. All Loyal Moose are expected to report at room 101, National hotel by 1:15 P. M. Sunday.

Wanted—Two small furnished rooms for light housekeeping, by lady with daughter attending high school. Address, S. W. J. Motley, Minn. 17913

Erick Anderson and wife residing in Oak Lawn township expect to leave the latter part of this month for Idaho. Mr. Anderson has been in failing health for some time and expects to regain his health and strength by taking change of climate.

WHITE SALE

12,000 YDS. EMBROIDERY
2000 yds. at 10c per yd.
10,000 yds. at 10c per half yd.
Many other White Goods
NOW ON SALE
Woolworth's
5 and 10c Store

The funeral of the late Herman Krueger will be held Thursday afternoon at two o'clock from the residence, 209 Northeast First avenue, and at 2:30 P. M. from Zion's Evangelical church on Northeast Fourth avenue. Rev. A. Zabel officiating. Relatives from Alexandria and the west are expected today to attend the services.

WSPATCH ADS PAY—TRY ONE

Buy Your Munsing Underwear Now
At Our Big Clearance Sale
All 50c Underwear on sale now at..... 40c
All \$1.00 Underwear on sale now at..... 80c
All \$1.50 Underwear on sale now at..... \$1.20
All \$2.00 Underwear on sale now at..... \$1.60
All \$3.00 Underwear on sale now at..... \$2.40
All \$3.50 Underwear on sale now at..... \$2.80
See that heavy fleece lined union suit at 50c, in all sizes.
Sold everywhere at \$1.00.



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THE STORE OF QUALITY

STATE AND LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Gleaned From Our Bright Exchanges and Boiled Down for the Benefit of Dispatch Readers

Minneapolis picture shows are to be censored under the new administration.

St. Cloud grocers were imposed upon by persons passing worthless checks.

Street cars will be running from Gilbert to Hibbing by the 18th inst., on the new electric line.

Lumber to be used for finishing purposes has been received by parcel post at the Hibbing postoffice.

Herbert Doran has been elected chief of the Bemidji fire department. The fire loss in that city for 1912 was 127,930.

An International Falls trapper says he is getting as high as 40 and 50 cents a skin for the hides of muskrats as against 25 and 35 cents a year ago.

The St. Cloud Times thinks the best way to exterminate wolves in this state according to the past 40 years' record would be to repeal the wolf bounty.

Royalton is now using Little Falls power for electric lighting, the former town building the line and taking the electricity at the power house in the latter city.

A moving picture show at New Ulm advertised to give away a live baby and called down the wrath of the community, which subsided when the "baby pig" was handed to the clerk of the leading hotel.

A monthly publication is to be issued by the Catholic church at Bemidji. It will be 32 pages and besides Bemidji church news it will contain literature written by Father G. S. Knoll, a Huntington, Ind., editor of considerable note.

A poultry census will be taken in Minnesota the latter part of January by the farm extension division at the agricultural college. The work will be done by the country boys and girls of the state who will report in each county to the county superintendent of schools. The report will show the number of chickens, geese, ducks and other fowls, how many eggs were produced during the year, the number of incubators used, etc.

Murderous Turks Hanged.
In retribution for the thousands of murders committed by Turkish troops



Photos by American Press Association.

During the long, dreary winter months mothers become tired, worn out, can't eat, sleep or work. Holister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest blessing for mothers. Makes them happy, healthy and strong. H. P. Dunn.—Adv.

DEVICE RESUSCITATES SEVEN.

Firemen Pronounced Dead From Suffocation Saved.

Seven firemen taken from the ruins of the Westinghouse warehouse in Pittsburgh, which was destroyed by fire, were pronounced dead from suffocation, but were restored to life by the prompt use of resuscitators, the



Photo by bureau of mines.

RESUSCITATOR IN ACTION.

new machines that draw poisonous gases from the lungs and instill pure oxygen.

A young ambulance surgeon was called from the Homeopathic hospital, two blocks away, to attend twelve unconscious firemen overcome by the poisonous fumes of sulphur and pitch. In seven of the men he could not find the slightest sign of life. But he remembered the pulmotors at the hospital.

A mean stuffy cold, with hoarse waezy breathing is just the kind that runs into bronchitis or pneumonia. Don't trifle with such serious conditions but take Foley's Honey and Tar Compound promptly. Quick and beneficial results are just what you can expect from this great medicine. It soothes and heals the inflamed air passages. It stops the hoarse racking cough.—H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

NOVELIST MAY SUCCEED REID

Thomas Nelson Page Mentioned For High Position.

Following President Taft's decision not to name a successor to the late Whitelaw Reid as ambassador to the court of St. James, Thomas Nelson Page came into the spot light as a probable choice. It was widely mentioned




THOMAS NELSON PAGE.

But Mr. Page would receive appointment to the big diplomatic post at the hands of President Wilson.

Mr. Page is one of America's foremost men of letters. His work to a large extent, has been with the south as his theme. "I have tried," he said recently, "to heal the breach between the north and the south with my stories." Mr. Page was born in Virginia in 1853. He was educated at Washington and Lee and at Yale.

BEST AND HEALTHY TO MOTHER AND CHILD.
Mrs. Winslow's SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over SIXTY YEARS BY MILLIONS OF MOTHERS for their CHILDREN WHILE TEething, with PERFECT SUCCESS. IT SOOTHES the CHILD, SOFTENS the GUMS, ALLAYS all PAIN; CURES WIND COLIC, and is the best remedy for DIARRHOEA. It is absolutely harmless. Be sure and ask for "Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup," and take no other kind. Twenty-cent bottle.

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THE THEATRE BEAUTIFUL
One Hundred Per Cent of Satisfaction
A Dandy Biograph comedy
"The Curio Hunters"
A trip to the South Sea Islands, Marshall P. Wilder, the versatile comedian.
A mining story of intense interest
"The Fraud at the Hope Mine"
Featuring a terrific mine explosion
An Indian Love Story
"Opitsah"
Apache for Sweetheart
MISS L. COOKE
Picture Pianist
Music That Fits the Pictures. Is One of the Features of our Program
BYRON WHITFORD
Violinist
Adults 10c Admission Children 5c

**IT WARMS OLD SANTA**
Just to see a good supply of good coal in the houses he visits. He is particularly partial to the kind of coal we sell and he has good reason to be. So will you after you have tried it. The splendid heat, the perfect combustion, the solid comfort, will pay you well for your good judgment in ordering us to fill your coal bin.
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BIG MINING CASE IS DECIDED

Judge W. S. McClenahan's Decision in Mississippi Land Co. vs Wisconsin Steel Co.

WEIGHING ORE IS INVOLVED

Defendant Restrained Removing Ore Except in Manner That Transportation Co. May Weigh It

Judge W. S. McClenahan of the district court has rendered a decision in the important mining case entitled the Mississippi Land company vs the Wisconsin Steel company heard by the jurist in Duluth.

As conclusions of law the judge finds that neither of the said leases contemplates, provides for or permits the weighing of ores in any manner except by the transportation company transporting the same from the lands and neither of them contemplates, provides for or permits the weighing in the manner in which the defendant has weighed such thereof as it has removed since May 1912 from the mine to the washing plant.

The Mississippi Land company is entitled to judgment forever restraining and enjoining the Wisconsin Steel company from removing from the lands in question any iron ore except in such manner that the same may be weighed by the transportation company transporting the same; from substituting for the weighing provided in said leases a weighing on a scale or scales furnished by the defendant; and from substituting any other manner of weighing the iron ore mined and removed for the manner of weighing provided in said leases. Plaintiff to have and recover its costs hereby allowed at \$10 and its disbursements herein to be taxed. Judgment was entered and a writ of injunction issued accordingly. A stay of 60 days was granted.

In his memorandum Judge McClenahan states that the real question in this case is not the right of the Wisconsin Steel company to wash the ores mined under its leases with the plaintiff; it undoubtedly has the right so to do, or otherwise to treat and dispose of these ores, provided that, by so doing, there is no substantial departure from the terms of its contracts. The process of washing is not covered by any express provision of the leases in question, but neither is the treatment of the ore products at the furnaces.

A system of weighing the ore, so as to furnish an accurate basis for the payment of royalties and transportation charges, is so expressly covered, however, and a change in this system is the cause of the litigation, and whether such change is in violation of the contracts is here the controlling feature.

"I cannot avoid the conclusion," says Judge McClenahan, "that the new system of weighing under the defendant's practical control, is essentially different from the system which gave such control to the transportation company transporting the ore, whose interests in the results was, in an important respect, identical with that of the plaintiff. This is a valuable right which a court of equity should protect. I have not overlooked the fact, uncontradicted in this record, that the defendant has expended large sums of money in the work of developing this mine and constructing this washing plant, but that cannot justify the court in refusing to restrain a breach of these contracts in the matter of weighing where the showing is otherwise such as to invoke equitable interference. I am satisfied the court should not undertake to devise a substitute for or modification of either of these systems of weighing since the performance of that feature of the contracts would be continuous and would require protracted supervision and direction."

Cohen, Atwater & Shaw of Minneapolis appeared for the plaintiff and Fryberger & Fulton of Duluth, and Davis, Kellogg & Severance for the defendant. The land in question lies in Itasca county and is described as the parts of sections 31 and 32, township 57, range 22.

On July 1, 1901 the Mississippi Land company in two leases leased to Orrin D. Kinney, George H. Crosby and E. B. Hawkins the lands for a term of 30 years with a royalty of 20 cents per gross ton, weights to be determined by the transportation company. On and after June 1, 1907 the defendant, the Wisconsin Steel company, became the owner of the leases.

A body of 22,000,000 tons of iron ore was discovered, of which 14,000,000 tons had an average of 56 percent iron and 7,000,000 an average of about 45 percent and 1,000,000 tons an average of 35 percent. Before 1911 further explorations revealed an additional ore body underlying the first ore body and containing about 15,000,000 tons having an average of 44 percent to 45 percent iron. In the years from 1902 to 1912 the Great Northern railway company transported 2,166,047 tons of ore. In 1911-12 the defendant built a washing plant and installed a scale and removed 526,630 tons of iron ore and by washing produced 315,000 tons containing on an average 60 percent iron. The defendant it appears, wished to continue washing operations and the plaintiff objected to his removing large quantities of ore, which, except for the washing would have been unremountable.

PERSONAL AND REAL TAXES

You Can Pay Your Taxes at Any Time Now as They Became Due Jan. 1st and are Payable

Following is the law governing the collection of taxes and the adding of penalties in Minnesota:

"All taxes are due on the first Monday of January of each year. Personal property tax becomes delinquent March 1, when a penalty of 10 percent is added. Personal property taxes unpaid April 1 are collected by the sheriff.

"On June 1 a penalty of 10 percent is added to all unpaid real estate tax and said tax will become delinquent on the first Monday of January next, when an additional penalty of 5 percent is added. If one-half of tax is paid before June 1, no penalty is charged on remaining half if paid before following November 1. Where taxes on any one description amount to \$1 or less they should be paid in full before June 1. Tax sale takes place on the second Monday of May following.

"If not redeemed within three years from date of sale, all lands become the absolute property of the state or purchaser."

A SAD DEATH

Mrs. Mary E. Bellmuth Passed Away Shortly After Birth of Baby Boy Last Night

Mrs. Mary E. Bellmuth, aged 26 wife of Harry G. Bellmuth, passed away last night from a sudden attack of heart failure shortly after giving birth to a baby boy at a local hospital.

Her sudden demise is one of extreme sadness and the sympathy of the community is extended to the sorrowing husband and relatives. The little child, their first born, is healthy and strong. The family lived at 312 South Fourth street. No announcement has been made as to the time of the funeral.

CHANGE IN TRAIN TIME

Noon Passenger Train From Duluth Arrives and Leaves Earlier Since First of Year

Since the first of the year there has been a change in train time of the noon passenger from Duluth. Train No. 55 leaves Duluth at 7:50 A. M., arrives at Brainerd 11:58 and leaves Brainerd at 12:05 P. M. for Staples. Train No. 56, returning from Staples, leaves Staples at 1:35 P. M., arrives at Brainerd 2:25 P. M. and departs at 2:35 P. M., arriving in Duluth at 6:40 P. M.

Changes in time are usually published as advertisements in all city papers, but as the Northern Pacific railway has not seen fit to so enlighten the public, the matter is presented gratuitously for the benefit of Dispatch readers.

Hints For Housekeepers

Keep Foley's Honey and Tar Compound always on hand and you can quickly head off a cold by its prompt use. It contains no opiates, heals and soothes inflamed air passages, stops the cough, and may save a big doctor's bill. In the yellow package. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

Lawton-Blood

Ed. Lawton and Miss Lulu Blood were married Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Blood, in Dean Lake township, the long ring service being performed by Justice William Ham, of Cuyuna.

The bride was attired in a handsome wedding gown and carried a bouquet of roses. She was attended by her sister, Miss Eva Blood. The best man was a brother of the bride, William Blood.

The home was nicely decorated, the ceremony being performed at eight o'clock in the evening and witnessed by a large number of friends and relatives of the country and from Cuyuna and other neighboring towns. A sumptuous wedding supper was served and after this all present enjoyed a social dance.

Their many friends wish them much happiness and prosperity, in which wish the Dispatch heartily joins.

Take the "direct road" to health and strength by using Foley Kidney Pills for backache, rheumatism, weak, sore kidneys and bladder irregularities. Each ingredient is chosen for its positive healing and curative qualities. Foley Kidney Pills are the best medicine you can buy for kidney and bladder troubles. Mrs. J. M. Findley, Lyons, Ga., says: "I took Foley Kidney Pills and they entirely cured me." H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

Constipation
"For many years I was troubled, in spite of all so-called remedies I used. At last I found quick relief and cure in those mild, yet thorough and really wonderful
DR. KING'S New Life Pills
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25 CENTS PER BOTTLE AT ALL DRUGGISTS.

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FARMERS TWP. MUTUAL INS. CO.

Holds its Eighth Annual Meeting in Deerwood on Tuesday, January 7 With Big Attendance

IS IN PROSPEROUS CONDITION

Secretary-Treasurer F. J. Winquist Reports that Company Carries \$633,260 Insurance

The eighth annual meeting of the Farmers Township Mutual Insurance company was held in Deerwood on Tuesday, January 7. The meeting was largely attended.

The report of Secretary-Treasurer F. J. Winquist evidences the abundant prosperity of the company and shows that it had a most encouraging growth and that a large amount of business was done in 1912. The company has an established reputation for the prompt payment of all legal claims and losses and thus has a high standing in Crow Wing county.

The following officers and directors were elected for 1913:

President—A. W. Nilson.
Vice-President—F. L. Kinney.
Secretary-Treasurer—F. J. Winquist.

Directors—Fred Gross, F. J. Winquist, A. W. Nilson, O. P. Erickson, Gust Olander, Emil Johnson and F. L. Kinney.

The Dispatch is glad to publish the financial statement of Secretary-Treasurer F. J. Winquist covering the past year:

Cash on hand from Dec. 31 of previous year	\$ 778.55
Cash received as first pay on policies for 1912	780.28
Cash received for delinquent assessment of 1911	16.00
Cash received for premium on previous years ins.	810.35
Cash received in pay of note and interest	101.50
Total received including cash on hand from 1911	\$2,486.68

Paid losses incurred during the year	\$1,184.43
Paid return premiums	17.80
Paid agent commissions	\$242.25, adjusting losses
\$14.00	256.25
Paid directors \$36, president \$10, secretary \$200	246.00
Paid Treasurer \$26.48, rent \$6.00, postage \$48.39	80.87
Paid printing \$9, advertising \$12, supplies \$29.85	50.85
Paid attorneys fee \$1, insurance department fee \$2	3.00
Paid express and railway fare	1.99
Loan to B. L. Fruit Growers' Assn.	100.00
Cash on hand end of year	\$ 542.49

Policies in force Dec. 31 of previous year, 549, \$576,051.75
Policies issued during 1912, 205 259,398.00

Totals, 754 policies, \$835,449.75
Deduct policies expired and canceled, 170, \$202,189.75

Policies and amount in force Dec. 31, 1912, 584 \$633,260.00
Jan. 7th, 1913, up to date there is 590 policies and \$644,705.00 insurance in force.

Cut the High Cost of Living

W. H. Chapman, Winnebago, Neb., tells how he did it. "My two children had a very bad cough and the doctor's medicines did them no good. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, and before it was all used the children were free and cured of their cough. I saved a doctor's bill for one 25c bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound." No opiates. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

Humiliated Hubby.

A newly married couple had had a little disagreement about some cakes which the wife had made. The husband complained that those his mother used to produce were far superior. On the next day the girl set before him a plate of hot cakes. "Now you have achieved something," he exclaimed enthusiastically. "These are exactly like what mother used to make. How did you do it?" "I will give you the recipe," replied the wife coldly. "I used margarine instead of butter, eggs a year old, I put alum in the flour and added plenty of water to the milk."—London Tit-Bits.

CROSBY GETS NEW LABORATORY

Special to Dispatch:

Crosby, Minn., January 8.—Loerch Brothers of Virginia, have just completed arrangements to erect a laboratory in Crosby. The building will be located on the corner of First street south and Third avenue west and will contain all modern improvements. This building will be the ninth laboratory that Loerch Bros. have already built located in iron range towns in Michigan, Wisconsin and Minnesota. The contract for the building has been let to Ed. Gustad and work will be rushed to an early completion. M. C. Hosmer of Hibbing, formerly connected with the Oliver Mining Co. and the Grasselli Chemical Co., will be in charge of the laboratory. Mr. Hosmer has already moved here and will occupy one of the Crosby houses.

NEW PENSION SYSTEM ADOPTED

Government Makes it Easier for Pensioners to Obtain Their Pension Money—Less Work

A change has been made by the department in paying pensions which will do away with considerable work for the government and will be much less complicated for those who receive the pensions. Previous to this time pensions have been paid through agencies established in different parts of the country, those living in this section being tributary to the Milwaukee office. Vouchers were sent out to the old soldiers and these had to be returned to the agency before receiving the money.

Under the system which has now been inaugurated the pensioners will receive a check direct from the government thus eliminating considerable red tape. The endorsement on the check will serve as a receipt to the government, and it has to be witnessed by two persons, but the witnesses need not accompany the pensioner to the bank or other place of payment unless for the purpose of identification. Old soldiers in this city are just receiving their first checks under the new order of things and find it much more convenient.

A. O. U. W. Lodge Notice

Regular meeting will be held in Elks hall, Thursday evening, Jan. 9th, 1913, commencing at 7:30 o'clock. After regular meeting there will be installation of officers and social evening to which all members of A. O. U. W. and Degree of Honor and families are invited.

A. J. ELLISON, M. W. Advt.—18412

Fulhaas-Osborne

Sigrud Fulhaas of Bradish, Boone county, Nebraska, and Miss Ethelyne Osborne of Brainerd, were married Tuesday, December 31, 1912, at the parsonage of the Norwegian-Danish Lutheran church, the pastor, C. Hougstad, officiating.

The groom is a graduate of Park Region Luther college, of Fergus Falls, Minn., and is at present engaged in educational work at Bradish, Nebraska. The bride is one of the popular teachers of Crow Wing county. The happy couple left for their Nebraska home on New Year's day.

The Dispatch joins their many friends in wishing them all possible happiness and prosperity.

How's This

We offer One Hundred Dollars Reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure. F. J. CHENEY & Co., Toledo, O. We, the undersigned, have known F. J. Cheney for the last 15 years, and believe him perfectly honorable in all business transactions, and financially able to carry out any obligations made by him.

WALDING, KINNAN & MARVIN, Wholesale Druggists, Toledo, O. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. Testimonials sent free. Price, 75c per bottle. Sold by all druggists. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

The Most Crowded Street

The supreme sensation of New York's east side is the sensation of the astounding populosity. The most populous street in the world—Rivington street—is a sight not to be forgotten. Compared to this, an uptown thoroughfare of crowded middle class flats in the open country is an uninhabited desert! The architecture seemed to sweat humanity at every window and door. The roadways were often impassible. The thought of the hidden interiors was terrifying. Indeed, the hidden interiors would not bear thinking about. The fancy shuddered—A problem not to be settled by sudden municipal edicts, but only by the ebb of generations.—Harper's Magazine.

RETURNS FROM PEACE RIVER

Harry Newgord Took up Land in the Grande Country of Alberta, Canada

MET MANY BRAINERD PEOPLE

In Locating and Returning, Mr. Newgord Made a Journey of Over 3,000 Miles

Harry Newgord, a well known Brainerd man, has just returned from the Peace River country of Alberta, Canada, where he took up land and in his trip from Brainerd to the north and back Mr. Newgord traversed over 3,000 miles. He has a large collection of interesting pictures giving a complete record of his travels and showing the difficulties encountered and the obstacles which he and his traveling companion successfully overcame.

Mr. Newgord left Brainerd about the second of October of last year and arrived at Edson, 130 miles west of Edmonton on the Grand Trunk railway, a week later. After getting supplies, purchasing a team and a "democrat," the latter being a small, light buggy, he and his companion, Walter Riddle, of Edson, left that place on the third of November. They took the new Edson trail which is cut in large part through a muskeg swamp, which is known all over the west as one of the most difficult trails to travel. Any man who has been over a muskeg swamp whether in Alaska or Canada knows what kind of a trail such ground produces in the fall of the year.

They reached Grand Prairie November 17 after many accidents which came near terminating the trip. Once they barely escaped drowning in the Little Smoky river. The ferry had been taken out and when fording the stream they encountered a lot of floating ice and were hedged in and had to chop their way through.

At Swan lake, British Columbia, they came upon the Borden family, former Crow Wing county residents who had lived on land now owned by Dr. J. L. Camp of Brainerd near Mission. The Borden family have a nice ranch of 640 acres situated on Swan lake 330 miles from a railway. Mr. Borden has a nice outfit of horses and cattle and seems to be doing well. He has made considerable money in trapping.

At Kleskun lake in Grande Prairie one sees numerous bands of wild horses which the Yukoners or Klondikers of the gold rush of 1898 had lost or abandoned. Each band is led by a big stallion and they are as wild as deer or caribou.

Occasionally settlers catch one or two, but the beasts are very difficult to train and are wilder than a western cayuse or mustang.

The Grande Prairie is the Mecca toward which the settlers are moving in Alberta nowadays. It is the "Last West" and when it is settled there will be no more wild land left. Mr. Newgord says it is supposed to be the best part of Canada and is called the paradise of Alberta. The prairie is alternately flat and rolling, interspersed with clumps of poplar and willow. Cattle and horses can and do range out the year around.

The winters are short and mild compared to the Minnesota brand. They never get sleighing before Jan. first and it seldom lasts six weeks. Mr. Newgord encountered fine weather all fall. Eight inches of snow fell November 29, but five days later a Chinook wind melted it all in one night.

The country is pretty well settled up, but good homesteads can be obtained in the Pouce Coupe district, the beauty spot of the Peace river country. Mr. Newgord selected a section of land for himself and his brothers and expects to start back in May. He leaves tomorrow for his home in Belmond, Iowa.

The long indoor life of winter makes the blood weak, the system easily catches cold and disease. Holister's Rocky Mountain Tea is the greatest winter remedy; prevents colds and disease; keeps you well all winter. 35 cents. Tea or tablets. H. P. Dunn.—Adv. mwf

Escaped After Fifteen Years

W. P. Broyles made a successful escape after fifteen years of suffering from kidney and bladder troubles. Foley Kidney Pills released him and will do just the same for others. He says: "They cured a most severe backache with painful bladder irregularities, and they do all you claim for them." Refuse substitutes. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

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"I'll Miss You Most at Twilight"

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BRAINERD PEOPLE SYMPATHIZE

The Smoke and Soot Nuisance so Much in Evidence in This City Also Bothers St. Cloud People

The St. Cloud Times says that the city is in doleful need of a smoke ordinance providing for the compulsion of a smoke arrester and consumer in the business section at least, is the opinion of many of the business men of the city. The smoke nuisance has asserted itself to a marked degree only a few times this winter as to-day was the instance of but the fourth appearance of sub zero weather. With the few cold days however, the morning showers of soot-laden smoke have caused not a little exasperation.

The adoption of an ordinance demanding the consumption of smoke will do away with the Pittsburgh effect which is so evident especially during the early forenoon hours when the business house heating plants are being crowded.

ADVERTISED LETTERS

Letters remaining unclaimed in the postoffice at Brainerd for the week ending Jan. 10, 1913. When calling for these letters please say "advertised."

Austin, Mrs. W. S.
Colby, R. E.
Eck, Marchal
Johnson, Miss Hilda
Madsen, Mrs. Earnest
Neider, Mr. Curley

POST CARDS

Anderson, Miss Emelia
Anderson, Miss Merle
Beaumont, Mr. Earnie
Brousseau, Mr. Frank
Dormanen, Richard (2)
Johnson, Miss Bert
Johnson, Hilda
Johnson, Miss Vera
Kilgour, Mr. A. W. (Lone Pine)
McCall, Mrs. Margie
Martinson, Mr. John
Rivord, Miss Clara
Shaffold, Miss Mable

N. H. INGERSOLL, P. M.

W. R. Fox, 195 W. Washington St., Noblesville, Ind., says: "After suffering many months with kidney trouble, after trying other remedies and prescriptions, I purchased a box of Foley Kidney Pills which not only did me more good than any other remedies I ever used, but have positively set my kidneys right. Other members of my family have used them with similar results." Take at the first sign of kidney trouble. H. P. Dunn, druggist.—Adv. mwf

PILES CURED IN 6 TO 14 DAYS
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c. mwf

Hoboes.
A hobo is a gentleman of leisure, but not all gentlemen of leisure are hoboes.—Manchester Union.

KEEP THE KIDNEYS WELL

Health is Worth Saving, and Some Brainerd People Know How to Save it

Many Brainerd people take their lives in their hands by neglecting the kidneys when they know these organs need help. Weak kidneys are responsible for a vast amount of suffering and ill health—the slightest delay is dangerous. Use Doan's Kidney Pills—a remedy that has helped thousands of kidney sufferers. Here is a Brainerd citizen's recommendation.

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STOCK EXCHANGE TO BE REGULATED

Profits of Promoters to Be Made Public Is Plan.

MORGAN THINKS IDEA GOOD.

Pujo Probers of Alleged Money Trust Show How Speculation and Manipulation Could Be Killed—Interstate Commerce Laws to Be Used on Wall Street Affairs.

The questions asked by the Pujo committee's counsel clearly indicated the program of reform which the committee had in mind in its probe of the alleged money trust, in some cases positively enough to make it practically certain that they will be included in the committee's recommendations.

There was one reform of which there seemed to be no doubt of the committee's endorsement, and that was compulsory publicity in regard to promoter's profits on stock issues listed on the New York Stock Exchange.

J. Pierpont Morgan acknowledged on the witness stand that such a regulation would be beneficial, but he doubted the practicability of attempting to enforce it. He thought that such an attempt would result in the organization of another exchange.

The committee seemed certain also to make some recommendation looking to the curtailment or abolition of manipulations of the stock market.

Several suggestions have been made by the committee in the course of the hearing. One was that members of the New York Stock Exchange be prohibited from executing orders for important operators who are known to have manipulated the market.

Another was that the exchange compel the actual delivery of the stock at the New York exchange clearing house.

From what has already developed, however, the indications are that the committee itself will not attempt to lay down any rules as to how manipulation shall be wiped out, but instead will impose the duty on the responsible authorities of the stock exchanges.

Will Use Interstate Commerce Law.

It is known now that the committee expects to make reforms of this character possible through dealing with the New York Stock Exchange as an institution engaged in interstate commerce.

To compel the incorporation of the exchange and to forbid the transmission of quotations over the telegraph wires unless the exchange adopts certain reforms is apparently the scheme on which the committee is at present proceeding.

Counsel for the committee in the course of the hearings thus far has indicated also that the investigators are seeking some method of preventing the flow of money to Wall street during periods of stringency in the money market. The suggestion has been made on several occasions that the limitation of the interest to be charged for call loans might reach this condition, but obviously this would be a matter for state legislation.

Mr. Morgan was of the opinion that nothing could prevent the attraction of money to Wall street for speculative purposes so long as Wall street was willing to pay high rates. He contended that if the sources in this country were closed against Wall street by usury law the money for speculation would be obtained from Europe.

As to the practice of clearing houses the investigating committee also seems to have some pretty definite views.

It is practically certain they will

recommend that the state and national banking authorities have the power to review the judgment of the clearing house in cases where a member declines to clear for a nonmember bank.

There is strong likelihood also that the committee will recommend the discontinuance of the charging of commissions on the collection on out of town checks and also that any bank that is absolutely solvent and whose condition is approved by the state or national banking authorities shall be admitted to full membership in the clearing house.

It was learned early that the committee planned to call some of the younger members of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Co. and to question them in detail in regard to certain transactions. The committee in examining Mr. Morgan sought chiefly to obtain his general views, and it planned later to take up with Mr. Morgan's partners transactions on which it is seeking light.

Morgan Disarms Suspicion.

The general impression in Washington, however, is that Mr. Morgan's frank and forceful testimony has been a blow to the money trust end of the inquiry and that the committee from now on will make little progress in trying to establish the existence of a monopoly of this character.

It is expected several witnesses will be called who charge that they have been discriminated against in their efforts to obtain capital for new enterprises. It is reported that the Tennessee Coal and Iron transaction, Arthur E. Stilwell's complaint in regard to the Kansas City Southern road, Bernard F. Baker's futile efforts to finance a steamship line in opposition to the Southern Pacific steamship's interests and other cases will be taken up. The committee will not, however, allow itself to be made the dumping ground of a lot of complaints and grievances.

ABDUL BAHÁ'S VISIT IN U. S.

Famous Persian Wins Many to New Religion.

Abdul Baha (Abbas Effendi), who would unite the religions of the world, has won the respect of Christendom, though he belongs to the race of Moslems.

This unique character is at the head of a religious faith, or, rather, a new interpretation of all the best faiths, which numbers 10,000,000 adherents all over the globe. He spent quite a

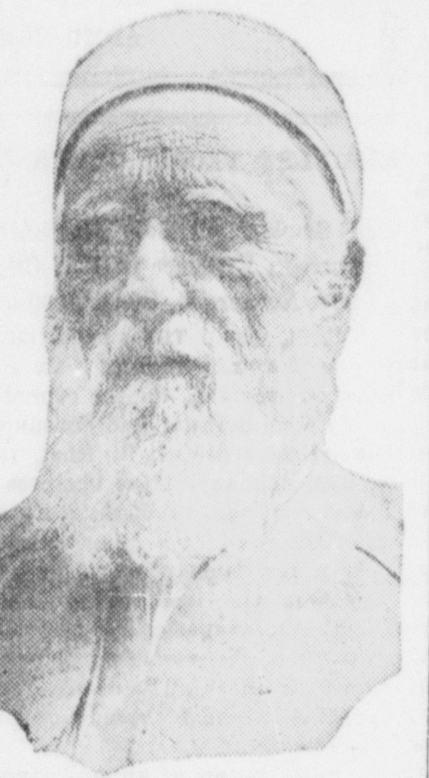


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ABDUL BAHÁ.

long visit in this country and departed recently, after having won many hundreds of converts to Baháism.

Though Baháism is the most liberal sort of belief, requiring no churches, no priests and no ritual, it has incurred the intense enmity of the Mohammedans, in whose land it originated seventy years ago. Thousands of Baháists have been martyred.

GOVERNMENT NOW TO RESCUE BABIES

Children's Bureau Active on Big Task.

TO FIND MORTALITY CAUSES

From Care of Cattle and Hogs Federal Machinery Has Turned to Conservation of Children—House to House Canvasses to Be Made—Babies in Poor Localities Die Fast.

The federal government, which has been for years providing for the welfare of cattle, hogs, potato plants and sugar beets, is at last actually coming to the rescue of the babies.

Beginning immediately after Christmas the newly created children's bureau of the department of commerce and labor, of which Miss Julia Lathrop of Chicago is the chief, began a campaign to save the lives of babies under one year of age.

This is the first inquiry undertaken by the bureau. Investigators will go into typical communities in every section of the country and make a house to house canvass.

"The purpose of the inquiry is to find out why the babies live and why they die," said Miss Lathrop.

"Of the 300,000 babies under one year of age dying yearly in the United States, at least 150,000 could be saved by the application of methods with which we are already as a people well acquainted."

Death Rate of Babies.

"The death rate for the total population is slowly but surely declining; adults are living on the average longer lives, but the death rate for babies less than one year old is not declining. The estimate of Dr. Cressy L. Wilbur, chief statistician, that at least 300,000 babies die annually in the United States means that one baby out of every eight dies before it is a year old."

"In certain unfavorable localities this rate is much greater. Babies in poor neighborhoods in an American city, for which figures are available, die at the rate of 373 per 1,000 babies under one year of age, while the corresponding rate for babies in the good residence quarters of the same city is 156. The New Zealand death rate for babies is but sixty-eight per 1,000 births. The great point about this inquiry is that it begins with the birth record of the child and follows it through its first year, instead of taking the mortality record and working backward. Its method will be to secure a list of all the children born within a given year in the communities under consideration."

"The schedule has been carefully prepared to cover the question of housing, feeding and care of the child, the milk supply, industrial and economic condition of the parents and sanitary conditions of the neighborhood—in fact, the hygienic surroundings of the child."

Parents to Be Visited.

"The method of this inquiry will necessarily be that of visits to parents by the women experts of the bureau. It will be seen that this is an absolutely democratic inquiry, involving, as it does, visits to every mother of a baby born within a given period of time. It seeks to discover the favorable conditions concerning children who survive, and it is believed that its whole purpose is such as to enlist the good will of the mothers of the country."

"All the cities in which this inquiry will be carried on have not yet been selected. It is certain, however, that at present cities can only be studied which are in that portion of the country designated as the birth 'registration area'—that is, the New England States, Pennsylvania and Michigan."

NOBLE HOBO KILLED BY TRAIN

Mangled Body of Descendant of Count von Bulow Is Found.

With both hands cut off and his skull fractured, Max von Bulow, said to be a descendant of Count von Bulow, the famous German general, was picked up on the railroad tracks near Reno, Nev., and died in the railroad hospital at Starks.

Von Bulow was a globe trotter and soldier of fortune. Several years ago he married Miss Christine Plumer, a wealthy woman of Pueblo, Colo., and they traveled through Europe in regal style. They were divorced. It is believed he was beating his way west on a passenger train and fell beneath the wheels.

Spanish Women's Hands.

The hands of a Spanish woman have a classic beauty, and their movements are incomparable. Such hands cannot be described; they can only be admired. When they manipulate a fan or roll a cigarette, when they raise a skirt or arrange a mantilla, it is always done with infinite grace. A Spanish woman alone knows how to use her hands as they truly should be used.—New York Sun.

A Settler.

"Yes," said Mr. Cumrox earnestly, "but what convinces you that the duke loves our daughter deeply and devotedly?"

"The fact," replied his wife icily, "that he is willing to accept you as a father-in-law."—Washington Star.

Defining a Canard.

Willie—Paw, what is a canard? Paw—A canard is when a newspaper prints a statement that a politician who is a friend of the pee-pul has had his pants pressed.—Cincinnati Enquirer.

He Knew.

Little Brother—What's etiquette? Bigger Brother—It's saying "No," thank you," when you want to holler "Gimme!"—Judge.

Auto Tires.

Auto tires after they have been hardened by contact with earth and water are practically fireproof.

TWO QUEER ANIMALS.

But the Hook Tail Bear Put One Over on the Sidehill Creeper.

Paul Smith, the famous Adirondack guide and story teller, once met his match. There was an Englishman, supposedly with the proverbial English sense of humor, who went to Smith's for some deer shooting. The morning after his arrival he started out with a gun alone. As he left the camp Paul told him to beware of the "side hill creepers."

"What's a side hill creeper?" asked the Englishman.

"Well," said Paul, "it's an animal that lives on the side of a hill, and as its right legs are long and its left legs short it can only run on sloping ground. They are very ferocious, and if one starts after you you must run up or down hill, as on account of its deformity it cannot catch you when you do that."

The Englishman shouldered his gun and went out. About night time he returned. The guide said to him, "Well, I see you dodged the creepers, all right."

"No, I met one," said the Englishman.

"Yes?" said Paul. "How did you get away from him?"

"I ran uphill," said the Englishman. "You shouldn't have done that. You could make better time running downhill."

"I know it," said the Englishman.

"but you see I met a hooked tail bear, and I just naturally had to run up hill."

"How's that?" asked Paul.

"Well, you know when a hooked tail bear gets started running the only way he can stop is to wrap his hooked tail around a tree. If I had run downhill he could have stopped, but when I ran uphill why every time he hooked his tail around a tree he just tumbled over backward, and so I got away."

Paul owned himself beaten and when the Englishman left refused to accept any money for his board.—New York Herald.

BURNING WOMEN ALIVE.

A Punishment That Was Abolished in England in 1790.

The horrible punishment of burning women alive seems to have existed in Saxon England, but perhaps only in the case of slaves. Under the Norman rulers any woman, bond or free, who killed her husband was burned alive, and the same punishment for this crime and also for high treason and even for coining and other minor offenses continued or arose from time to time through the second and third periods until it was abolished by act of parliament in 1790, the last actual execution of this kind having, however, taken place six years earlier.

The whipping of women for various offenses continued even later. Public whipping was not abandoned until 1817, and cases of private whipping occurred as late as 1820.

There can be no doubt, we think, that the savage human instinct of cruelty had something to do with the barbarous punishments above mentioned. As the old Roman public longed for the carnage of the circus, as the Spanish populace crowded to the auto-da-fé in the flourishing days of the Inquisition, so the lower (perhaps not only the lower) strata of English nationality took delight in witnessing tortures which in all probability were devised and kept up partly for their entertainment. Judge Jeffreys in sentencing a woman to be whipped is reported to have said:

"Hangman, I charge you to pay particular attention to this lady. Scourge her till her blood runs down. It is Christmas time, a cold time for madam to strip. See that you burn her shoulders thoroughly."—Cornhill Magazine.

SYSTEMS IN GAMBLING.

Monte Carlo Just Smiles at Them and Keeps on Winning.

There are only two games played at Monte Carlo—roulette and a simple card game called trente et quarante. One is assured that these games are played quite fairly and that the percentage in favor of the bank is 61 to 60. Whatever it may be, this certain percentage in favor of the tables overcomes all systems that human ingenuity can work out by any law of averages. M. Blanc will permit you to play any way you like, and to double your bet as often as you like until it reaches 6,000 francs at roulette or 20,000 francs at trente et quarante. Then you must begin over again, for it is quite clear that if one were permitted to double indefinitely it would only be a question of time and sufficient money to put M. Blanc out of business.

Thus it happens that M. Blanc, who takes no chance, wins against all those who are permitted to take any sort of chance they like. Sir Hiram Maxim disposed of all systems when he shattered a popular delusion in these words: "If red has come up twenty times in succession it is just as likely to come up at the twenty-first time as it would be if it had not come up before for a week. Each particular coup is governed altogether by the physical conditions existing at that particular instant. The ball spins round a great many times in a groove. When its momentum is used up it comes in contact with several pieces of brass and finally tumbles into a pocket in the wheel which is rotating in an opposite direction. It is a pure and unadulterated question of chance, and it is not influenced in the least by anything that has ever taken place before or that will take place in the future."—Melville Davison Post in Saturday Evening Post.

The Bright Guide.

It was a party of visitors seeing the sights in Pittsburgh that finally entered the conservatory presented to the city by Mr. Phipps. The curator while showing them around was called away on business and left the visitors in charge of one of the clerks. They came to a beautiful statue which was admired immensely. It was of translucent marble. He pointed out the excellences of the statue, told the name of the sculptor and showed it from every viewpoint. One asked, "Alabaster, isn't it?" "No," he said, "Venus."—Argonaut.

CHANCE FORECASTS.

Writers of Old Who Dimly Pointed to Modern Inventions.

Chance phrases in the literary works of other days describe with uncanny exactness inventions of far later times. For instance, we find in the "Prolusions" of Strada the Roman, which were published in the year 1617, what might be held to embody a crude description of wireless telegraphy.

Strada represents two friends as carrying on a correspondence by means of a "certain loadstone which has such virtue in it that, if it touches two needles when one of the needles begins to move, the other, although at ever so great a distance, moves at the same time and in the same manner."

In 1674 Robert Hooke published a work wherein he observed that as glasses improve the vision so ways might be found to improve our other senses. "It is not impossible," says he, "to hear a whisper at a distance of a furlong, and perhaps the nature of the thing would not make it impossible although that furlong should be ten times multiplied." This seems to be a fair forecast of the telephone.

In "Gulliver's Travels" Swift causes his hero to relate in the voyage to Laputa that the astronomers there "have likewise discovered the two lesser stars or satellites which revolve about Mars." This has been held to constitute a satire on sham science. Nevertheless Professor Asaph Hall a few years ago discovered the two tiny satellites.

It was more than 1,700 years ago that Lucian gave an account of the manner wherein the inhabitants of the moon drank "air squeezed or compressed into a goblet" so that it formed a kind of dew. This clearly suggests liquid air.

The same writer in "Vera Historia" humorously and at some length describes an aerial ship the sails of which were inflated by a whirlwind, thus impelling it through space to the moon.—Harper's.

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HANGS HERSELF IN A CELL.

Woman Held on Theft Charge Cannot Bear Disgrace.

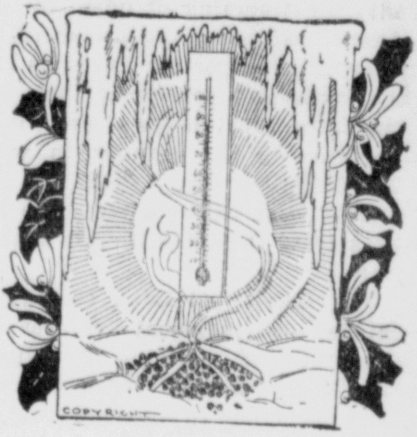
Mrs. Lillian Scott, awaiting trial in New York on a charge of grand larceny, committed suicide by hanging herself in her cell. She had used a bed sheet tied to a water pipe near the ceiling of the cell.

Mrs. Scott had been accused by Mrs. Olive Searies of Brooklyn of stealing a fur coat valued at \$1,800, a seal muff worth \$200 and a diamond brooch while in charge of Mrs. Searies' house during the latter's absence in Europe. Her examination had been set in the Harlem court.

Mrs. Searies, on learning of the tragedy, was prostrated. She said she would gladly have sacrificed the stolen goods rather than have the woman kill herself.

Flying to India.

The English aviator Cody is making plans to take part in the flight from London to India. This event has lately been organized and is likely to be of great interest on account of the unusual length of the trip. Several important prizes are to be awarded for the flight. However, the organizers are likely to postpone the event for some time owing to the fact that the original route lies across the Balkans.



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